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Fire Prevention Week Kick-Off

By Eric Tripoli

Sunday, October 7, marked the first day of national Fire Prevention Week, a time where local fire departments provide outreach and safety education to their communities for how to deal with various fire-related emergencies.

The Marion Fire Department held an open house on Sunday afternoon, offering demonstrations of the ladder truck, Jaws of Life system and stovetop fire safety.

"We always have an open house at the start of Fire Prevention week," said Marion Fire Chief Tom Joyce. "This is the kick-off for the whole week. It gives the community an opportunity to get to know us better, see where we work. It gives our people a chance to show off their skills they work so hard to master."



Above: The Mattapoissett Police Department conducted a routine drug search at Old Rochester Regional High School on the morning of Friday, October 5. Several police cruisers and canine units from Yarmouth, Stoughton, Weymouth and the Plymouth County Sheriff's Department aided in the search. No drugs were found. Photo by Katy Fitzpatrick.

On the Cover: A view of the engines and vehicles of the Marion Fire Department via their ladder truck. The fire department offered rides up to the top during the annual open house to commemorate the beginning of national Fire Prevention Awareness week on Sunday, October 7, 2012. Photo by Eric Tripoli.

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who won last week's Facebook Fun Friday!

He also said that all of the people involved with the fire and EMS services had volunteered their time to take part in the event.

"I've been here for two years. It's a good time to get the public together. It looks like a good turn-out this year," said Ryan Noon, 15, of Marion. The junior fire fighter was helping to harness and secure children who took a ride up in the nest of the ladder truck.

The program works not only to help connect residents with their emergency services personnel, but offers comprehensive education over a variety of topics.

"We bring in other aspects, like public health and safety. We have information on how to deal with burns of all sorts," said Joyce.

The theme of this year's open house was "Two Ways Out," which encourages families to devise two

Halloween Cover Voting

Online voting for this year's Halloween Cover Contest will take place from **October 14 to October 21**.

The cover winner will win an iPod Touch and his or her artwork will be on the October 25 cover of *The Wanderer*!

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Alison Wallace of Marion was in attendance with her two daughters, Bridget and Audrey.

"We try to come every year. The girls love it. It gets us to go over our escape plan with our neighbors. It makes it not so scary for them in case there's an emergency. They can come here and meet everyone," said Wallace.

That included Sparky the Fire Dog, the official mascot of the Marion Fire Department. The upright pooch was on hand to take photos with the kids and show them the different activities they could participate in.

"It truly is a family," Chief Joyce said. "It's great to see the commitment from these guys and the support of everybody here."

Fire Prevention Week continues at the firehouse on Tuesday, when fire fighter Jodi Richards-Auld will welcome classes from Sippican School, who will learn basic fire safety such as stop, drop and roll. They will also see the fire fighters don all their gear and demonstrate their equipment using fireless scenarios.

Random Drug Search Conducted at ORRHS

By Katy Fitzpatrick

On Friday, October 5 around 8:30 am, a random drug search was conducted at Old Rochester Regional High School. The search lasted for about 45 minutes and only one vehicle with marijuana was found.

"It's a measure we take to keep a safe campus," said ORRHS Principal Michael Devoll. "We do it periodically throughout the school year."

Police cruisers from the Mattapoisett Police Department teamed up with other cruisers and K9 Units from Weymouth, Yarmouth, Stoughton and the Plymouth

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County Sheriff's Department to aid in the search. Three dogs searched the interior of the school while four dogs searched the parking lot.

"School administrators are leading the dogs and officers around the school and random classrooms are chosen to be searched," said Devoll. "Then, we ask the students to go out into the halls while the classroom is being searched. No dog has exposure to the kids."

The school began conducting random drug searches three years ago as an initiative to help keep the students safe.

"We are not so sheltered that we don't think some of our kids are doing things they shouldn't be doing," said Devoll. "Our primary focus is to be as free of distraction



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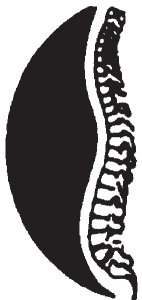
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The drug searches are announced over the loudspeaker and teachers are instructed to keep students in the classroom and to keep teaching while officers and dogs search the building. When the search is complete, a phone call is made to the families of the students to notify them that it was conducted.

"The feedback for the program has always been good," said Devoll. "When we first started, I got a lot of phone calls of support from parents."

Phone calls were made at approximately 9:15 am when the search was finished. No drugs were found inside the school building.

Still, the lack of drugs is nothing new for ORRHS.

"We've got good kids here, and we've got a safe school," said Devoll. "I think it says a lot about us. We don't go into a drug search thinking we want to catch a good amount of kids. It's just routine. We think we've got a great school and we just want to make sure we are providing that safe atmosphere."

Fungi Fun!

By Eric Tripoli

As the days get a bit colder and the air more crisp, the leaves tumble down from their loft perches and blanket the ground. It's autumn in New England, a time when our thoughts turn to apples, pumpkins, Halloween and mushrooms. Wait, mushrooms?

On Saturday, October 6, the Rochester Land Trust led their first "mushroom walk," where residents were invited to join local mushroom expert Wesley Price for an afternoon of exploration and education on fungus.

Price, a construction field supervisor, first became interested in mushrooms while on a walk through the woods one day.

"I was just out taking a walk and I had one of those epiphanies that everything is connected," said Price. "Fungi, at the base ecological level, are what's necessary for nutrient cycling in the forest. They are what connects everything in a lot of ecologies."

He joked that his real obsession with mushrooms

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began with a fondness for Smurfs when he was younger.

The woods by Church's Field on Mattapoisett Road served as the ecological stage for Saturday's walk. Over 20 people attended, many from surrounding towns like Middleboro, Marion and Mattapoisett.

"I love mushrooms. I don't know much about them, but they're really cool," said Zane Ham, a youngster who went on the walk. "I love being outside. I'm all about nature."

Ham had collected about thirty seemingly different varieties, but with over 5,000 species of mushrooms in the United States alone, and many of which look similar, identifying them can be a trick.

After the walk, people took the mushrooms they'd collected back to the roadside to learn about what they had found. Over 100 samples were laid out on the tailgate of Price's truck. He also brought with him over a dozen different photo-identification books, but still hit a wall with naming a few mysteries species.

"The better understanding everybody has about the ecology around them, they more likely they are to treat our environment better," he said.

Norene Hartley of the Rochester Land Trust was very pleased with the turnout for the day.

"This was a good year for mushrooms," she said. "We wanted people to feel free to come out, take a walk and enjoy being outside."

She added that the Church Field property is always open to the public for walks and exploration.

With such a strong attendance, Hartley said that there's the possibility the Rochester Land Trust will be having another mushroom walk in the spring.

"If you guys have one, I'd love to be here to do it," said Price.

Community Cancer Care Fund Holds Yard Sale **By Katy Fitzpatrick**

While scouring through the hundreds of items sold at any given yard sale, they say one man's trash is another man's treasure. But in the case of one particular yard sale here in the Tri-Town, one person's trash could help save the lives of local families in need.

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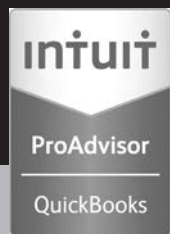
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On Sunday, October 7, the Community Cancer Care Fund held their annual yard sale in order to help raise money for local families that are currently fighting cancer. The sale was held at the Knights of Columbus in Mattapoisett.

"This year's sale has been very good," said Joann Price, who organizes the event each year. "We have had a lot of foot traffic in here. We received a lot of great donations from the town."

Early Sunday morning, the hall was packed with thousands of items donated by local families. With only an hour to go in the sale, nearly 90% of all the items had been sold. 2012 marked the fourth year the CCCF organized the yard sale. On average, the organization

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"On average, we are able to help about 3-4 families each year," said Price. "In addition to the donated items, we also get a lot of monetary donations before the sale. We've got fabulous support. People are very generous with us all the time."

Price said the money raised goes towards a lot of expenses that many people would otherwise forget about if they weren't in the midst of receiving cancer treatment. Families traveling back and forth to Boston for procedures need gas money or train money. Additionally, spending long days in hospitals, families need money for food.

"The Community Cancer Care Fund gives these families money for gas, food and other things the insurance won't pay for. We give them straight cash to put towards those uses," she said.

Price knows first-hand what it's like to be in need of money during cancer treatment. Joann's husband, Jim, is a leukemia survivor, and it was the Community Cancer Care Fund that came to her rescue when they needed it.

"It's a relief that we are able to help so many families because I know how the money came in handy for us," she said. "There were many mornings when I would leave for Boston and I didn't even have twenty dollars on me for gas and food. It was a real hometown feeling when they came through for me."

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Bay Scallop Season to Begin Early

Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen

By Katy Fitzpatrick

The Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen voted to open the recreational Bay Scallop Season two weeks earlier in order to take advantage of the upcoming weekends for shell fishing. The decision was made at the board's regular meeting on Tuesday, October 9 in Town Hall.

The original start of the 2012 Bay Scallop season was scheduled for November 1 for both recreational and commercial fishers. November 1 is later than the traditional mid-October start, but Shellfish Warden Kathy Massey had several reasons for delaying the season.

Massey said because the scallops reproduce in the summer, they need the month of October to grow. Also, water temperatures are not quite cool enough to yield the highest amount of scallops. Right now the water temperature is around 55 degrees.

"The cooler the water is, the better," said Massey.

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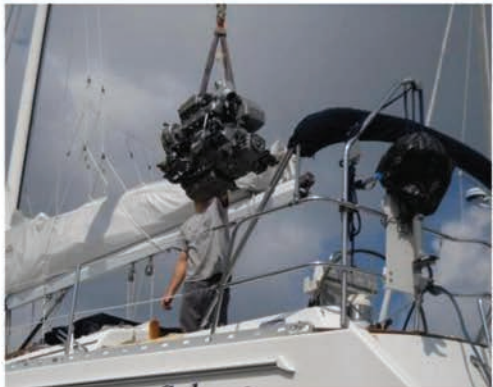
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In other news, the board is looking to meet with the Financial Committee to discuss a repaving of Mattapoisett Neck Road. A project to relay sewer lines is nearly complete, and with the potholes existing in the remainder of the road, the town feels it is the perfect time to repave.

Selectman Paul Silva said the project would cost approximately \$220,000 to repave Mattapoisett Neck Road as well as several other side streets. The repaving would keep the roads in good condition for 15-20 years.

The board hopes to meet with the Financial Committee within the next week so they can come up with an estimate to put on the Special Town Meeting Warrant. If approved, the town hopes the project would be completed by May of 2013 before the busy summer season.

The board met with three committees in town to get status updates on their departments. The Police Department, Fire Department and Council on Aging all



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gave progress reports.

Police Chief Mary Lyons is urging residents to continue to call in any suspicious activities in any neighborhood due to the increased volume of home invasions. Since the weather is getting cooler, Lyons is also encouraging residents to remove any window air conditioning units as most of the culprits from recent break-ins have entered through the windows.

Lyons also informed the board that the new Mattapoisett police cruisers will be Chevrolet Tahoe SUV's. Since Ford is discontinuing the production of their Crown Victoria model, the station had to choose another vehicle for the department's use.

Fire Chief Andrew Murray expressed the need

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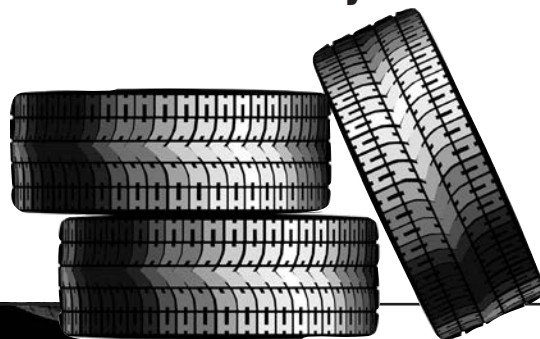
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for a new facility since quarters in the current station are extremely tight.

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Additionally, the town will need to purchase a new engine in two years after buying a new one just a few months ago to replace Engine 1. A series of upgrades were made to the current station, including new windows and doors, as well as new landscaping and new parking lot pavement. Still, there is not enough space for the department.

Murray's second priority behind the new building is to increase the number of firefighters. Both Murray and the board cited busy schedules for residents and lack of financial incentive. Murray said he is allotted \$80,000 each year to pay 36 community firefighters. Some firefighters can receive as little as \$18 a run, he said.

Another hurdle in bringing on new firefighters is the cost to conduct physicals for each new employee the department hires. It costs approximately \$240 for each new hire to be examined, and that does not include the cost of tuition to the academy. Last year, the department hired six new firefighters and spent \$1,500 on their physicals. Murray said he has lost nearly six officers out of the department since then for various reasons.

Mattapoisett Council on Aging Executive Director Jacqueline Coucci informed the board of the group's new Outreach Coordinator Kathleen DeMello. DeMello began working last week.

"We are looking to enhance outreach services and target those who are homebound," said Coucci.

The council has also increased transportation services, making all rides that stay within Mattapoisett \$1. The council also added additional trips to the Dartmouth Mall and Wareham Crossing.

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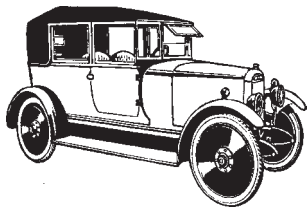
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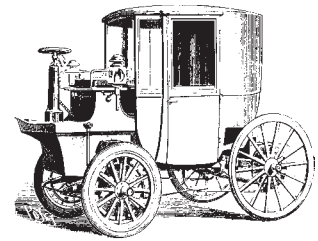
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 said Coucci.

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Little Quittacas Solar Farm Raises Questions

Rochester Planning Board

By Eric Tripoli

The Rochester Planning Board met for their
 regular meeting on Tuesday, October 9 in Rochester Town
 Hall. The only public hearing on the agenda for the night
 was in regard to the site plan review for the proposed

ground-mounted solar panel array for the Little Quittacas
 Pond region of town off North Avenue.

Last week, at the project's technical review
 meeting, the plans came under fire because the
 construction of a drainage swale would extend into the
 public roadway. TRC Engineering agreed to redesign that
 part of the plan.

The property on which the proposed array would
 be located is owned by the City of New Bedford. The
 array would draw solar power that would be routed to
 the power grid in order to offset the electricity used by
 New Bedford's water department.

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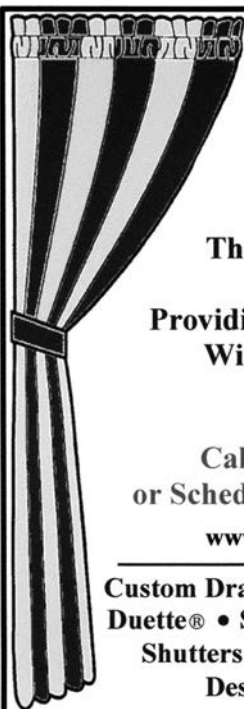
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opportunities we've had to talk to with the Planning Board and other officials in Rochester, as well as people from the neighborhood. I'm now happy to say we've submitted our site plan and we think what we've put together here is a design that achieves the purpose and need of our clients, and even more importantly, is a design that's well suited to the environment where we want to put this project," said Steve Moffett of TRC Engineering.

The plan calls for slight re-grading of the area, removal of some trees, and the installation of several storm water basins that would maintain all local precipitation within the site.

"There are two wetland systems we've identified in the area and we've maintained a very wide separation between our project and those resource areas. That's been confirmed by the Rochester Conservation Commission," Moffett said.

There is also a proposed berm as part of the project, which would shield abutting residents from seeing the site. Moffett said there are two options for the style of the berm and would let the abutters choose which they felt was best. One would be a plain 12-15 foot earthen berm that would not require maintenance, while the other would be three feet high, planted with native grasses, trees, and shrubs, and would require maintenance.

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it with grasses that would need to be mowed. It seems counterintuitive to have a solar panel array that requires fossil fuels to be used for maintenance," said Planning Board member Susan Teal.

Moffett said that part of the original plans suggested planting clover, but the idea had since been abandoned. The main concern was providing landscaping that would also act as erosion control in the event of precipitation.

"My concern is whatever you put there has to be appealing to the neighborhood. I feel as though it should be maintained to some degree so it doesn't get out of hand," said Board member Gary Florindo.

"I'm not liking the location of the berm. I think it needs to be pushed back. With the amount of snow coming in, that's a snow fence," said Planning Board chairman Arnold Johnson, who felt that it was too close to the edge of the road.

Florindo then suggested that the company mark the dimensions of the berm, followed by another site visit by the Planning Board.



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"We don't want to look at a pile of dirt. We want to look at trees," said Donald Loader of North Avenue, who said that he had a list of 17 other abutters who were in favor of the shorter berm planted with vegetation.

Johnson then recommended a third option be available in the form of a tiered berm, with a shorter front section near the road that would be planted with trees, and a taller section behind the vegetation to help cut down wind speed through the neighborhood.

The hearing was continued until the November 13 meeting of the Planning Board so the engineers could stake out the dimensions of the berm suggestions.

In other business, the Planning Board voted in favor an Approval Not Required application for the combination of two lots that are part of the Porter Bog property on Hiller Road. No area or frontage changes would occur.

The next meeting of the Rochester Planning Board will be on Tuesday, October 23, 2012, at 7:00 pm at the Town Hall.

Sippican Elementary Fails to Meet PPI

Marion School Committee

By Anne Smith

The Marion School Committee met on Wednesday, October 3 for a regular meeting followed by an executive session. Elise Frangos, Director of Curriculum and Instruction, presented an MCAS update

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in which she explained Massachusetts' switch from using Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP) to the Progress and Performance Index (PPI) for school assessment.

Her presentation demonstrated the process for calculating PPI, which involves measuring the proficiency gap, dividing it by two, and adding it to the school's baseline. The figure resulting from this calculation is the goal for each school to complete by the 2016-2017 school year.

PPI is a departure from AYP in that each school will have its own goal (reducing the proficiency gap by half by the target date). Under the previous system of AYP, schools were expected to meet 100 percent proficiency by the 2013-2014 school year.



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PPI is calculated over the course of four years, with each successive year carrying more weight. Because of the poor 2011 MCAS scores, Sippican Elementary School's PPI score falls short of its target of 75 by two points. This classifies Sippican Elementary as a Level Two school.

"You're carrying the weight of the past years into the future," Frangos said.

She will continue her presentation on PPI at the next meeting of the Committee, when she will discuss the PPI data for each grade level and content area.

Rania Lavranos, Co-Chairman of VASE, sought approval from the Committee for a gift card fundraiser. The fundraiser would allow for community members to purchase gift cards from over 500 popular retailers through Sippican Elementary, which would receive a portion of the sales.

The fundraiser was approved unanimously.

VASE is also seeking new members, particularly parents who would be interested in serving as the Co-Chairmen next year. Those interested in joining VASE may contact the current Co-Chairmen by emailing vase@orr.mec.edu.

"It's a lot of fun, it's very rewarding," Lavranos said. "Someone will step up. Someone will do it."

The Committee also approved the travel destination for the Safety Patrol trip. Parents and students overwhelmingly selected Williamsburg over Philadelphia

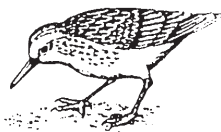
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and New York City. The proposed itinerary includes two days of academic tours and one day of non-academic, which would be conducted at Busch Gardens.

Brad Gordon, Committee Chairman and past Safety Patrol chaperone, spoke highly of the travel company but questioned the itinerary's inclusion of an amusement park.

Ultimately, the Committee voted to approve the itinerary and defer to the administrators regarding the day trip to Busch Gardens.

Finally, the Committee heard from fourth grade teachers about the grading pilot. This year, the fourth grade teachers are foregoing letter grades in favor of a number system with extensive feedback for students.



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The hope is that the pilot will foster students' growth by building one-on-one conversation between teacher and student, as well as ease the transition into the letter grade system.

Overall, the teachers thought well of the grading pilot; however, its true merits will not be measured until the school receives this year's MCAS growth projectiles and feedback from parents.

In other business:

- The Committee approved an updated Emergency Plan.

- The Committee granted the kindergarten teachers permission to use the Massachusetts Kindergarten Entry Assessment (an intensive pilot program in which they are participating) in place of the traditional report card assessment.

- Elise Frangos announced a parent-teacher education forum entitled "Understanding Your Pre-Adolescent and Adolescent" to be led by Kathryn Collins on Wednesday, October 24. The free event, open to the public, will begin at 6:00 pm at the ORRJHS library. Collins will discuss eating disorders, self-harm, the physical and social impact of puberty, as well as how parents can support their children with difficult peer relationships.

- Principal Evelyn Rivet asked parents to visit the school's website and take a survey about the open house procedures. Only 33 parents have taken the survey thus far.

- The Committee voted to accept two donations, one \$500 donation in gift cards from the Visiting Nurses Association and one \$25,000 cash donation to the Principal's Account by an anonymous donor.

The next regular meeting of the Marion School Committee will be on Wednesday, November 7 at 6:30 pm at the Town House.

Rodgers Praises RMS Lock-Down Response

Rochester School Committee

By Eric Tripoli

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Superintendent Doug White began the meeting with his report. He highlighted newly released information from the state regarding MCAS. According to the new numbers, the entire Old Rochester district has consistently scored above the state averages in reading, math, and science. A special presentation detailing the MCAS was scheduled but due to the lack of a digital projector, was postponed until November's meeting.

Then Director of Curriculum and Instruction Elise Frangos briefed the committee on her report, which focused on the success of the September 26 professional development afternoon. Each school in the district hosted a different workshop to improve the performance and abilities of teachers.

Frangos also said that over 800 fourth through eighth grade students from the Tri-Town will be participating in a bread-baking outreach program as part of the King Arthur Flour Grand Project.

"As part of the program, children will be learning about the history of bread and how to bake their own bread," Frangos said. King Arthur Flour would donate the materials to the students and they would bake bread at home as part of the program.

The Committee voted in favor of proceeding with the King Arthur Flour project.

Frangos also mentioned the upcoming parent-teacher education forum, to be held on Wednesday, October 24 at Old Rochester Junior High library. It will

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"It's a great way to understand adolescents and how they're growing up, as well as how to deal with the concerns they have or their friends have," she said.

Then, Dr. Moira Rodgers, RMS principal, gave her report.

"One of the most dramatic things that happened in the past month was the lock-down the building had on September 11. It just reinforced for me the virtues of being prepared," Rodgers said.

She spoke with Police Chief Magee about the procedures for safely responding to dangerous situations. They had discussed holding a lock-down drill in October.

"There were no safety threats to the children or the community, but I have to say I was very impressed with the staff and student response. It was truly impressive that the people followed the protocol and managed the situation perfectly."

She added that better walkie-talkies would help the staff stay in better contact with one another during emergency situations.

"As principal, it was apparent to me that that's a real need, as well as contact out on the recess field," Rodgers said.

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challenges with the present radio system and Rodgers is looking to purchase new walkie-talkies in the near future.

In addition, Rodgers said that her "Coffee with the Principal" program has been successful so far and will be holding two more dates on Tuesday, October 9 from 6:30 to 7:00 pm and Friday, October 19 from 9:00 to 10:00 am.

"I look forward to meeting with more parents," she said.

Ryan McGee, the Rochester technology director, then offered his quarterly report which highlighted the diverse use of technology in RMS classrooms, such as using iPod audio books to help reading fluency and posting video math tutorials to classroom websites.

Creating new ways to use technology to educate is something that the staff has largely supported and embraced.

"We're definitely looking to share all of our resources, talents and skills," he said. "We're having a parent night in November, but we're working on dates. We're trying to get the community involved, get the schools involved."

After the Committee approved the minutes from past meetings, White offered his financial update.

"As of the end of the month, we have \$477,626 remaining, which is 8.57% of the budget remaining," he said.

White bullet-pointed a few line items on the budget report.

"As you know, one of the areas that jumps out is the principal's line. That is actually a result of us having an outgoing principal and incoming principal," he said, which required RMS to pay out a larger amount of salary due to the overlap.

He noted savings resulting from the shuffling of personnel around the district and from a new transportation contract for students who attend Bristol Agricultural High School.

"We have also had some students who may have some needs that aren't being met by this budget," he said. "Building the budget on what you know compared to what you have, there may be the need for some transfers

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Committee Vice Chairman Sharon Hartley was concerned about the costs of school utilities versus what is reflected in the budget, citing a potential shortfall of funds later in time.

"If that continues, that would leave us in a difficult position," she said.

White continued the meeting with a discussion regarding the creation of a new superintendent evaluation tool that would allow fair judgment of the position across the different district school committees.

"I'm looking for some guidance from each of the committees and what your thought process is and how we can guide this," he said, noting that different schools

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may prioritize performance standards differently.

White is responsible for creating an annual self-assessment in addition to being subject to the evaluation of his performance by district teachers and administrators.

"If I came in and I said I wanted to focus in on family and community, and the committee wanted me to focus on curriculum and instruction, where are we on that? What's the work that needs to be done to address that?" White said. "My suggestion would be the committee give their information to the chairs, and I meet regularly with them, then they can guide me."

In other business:

- The Committee voted to accept a donation of \$2,691.25 from Target, via the retailer's Take Charge of Education initiative.

- Mark Ponte was hired to replace Teah Mazzoni as third grade teacher. Mazzoni was recently appointed the ORR district ELL Specialist.

- The School Committee voted to adopt the new emergency response plan for RMS. The complete plan is available in the school's main office.

- Terri Hamm spoke to the Committee about the need for the addition of a new paraprofessional position to reinforce the special education needs of RMS students. The school has hired a temporary sub to assist special needs students in transition, but she said there may be a need to create a permanent position this year. The matter will be discussed further at the Committee's November

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meeting.

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RMS Cancels After School Activities Program By Eric Tripoli

Rochester Memorial School PTO has cancelled all after school activities for the autumn, with no guarantee that they will resume for the spring semester.

When asked during the public comments portion of the October 5 meeting of the Rochester School Committee, White deferred until after the meeting to answer questions.

According to White, the PTO made the decision to cancel the teacher-run after-school activities program the week of September 17.

"We didn't have the personnel to run the activities," he said. White was unable to comment on whether or not the activities cancellation was an effect of the current contract negotiations between the

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"We're working to make sure we can provide the best support for our kids both during the school day and afterward, and we continue to look for opportunities to help the kids," White said.

Tina Rood, PTO treasurer, did not return a phone call requesting a comment.

Dr. Moira Rodgers, Rochester Memorial School's new principal, did not respond to questions during the recent school committee meeting nor did she return a phone call seeking comment on the situation.

White encouraged members of the community seeking after-school programs to register at the local YMCA.

Reunion of ORRHHS and Mrs. Carla Cafarella

ORR School Report

By Jessica Correia

In addition to the three new teachers gracing the Old Rochester Regional High School ranks as of this year, the school procured another about a month into the year. Due to the sudden retirement of Mrs. Johnston, one of ORR's Spanish teachers, a seat needed filling for those Spanish classes as well as a senior homeroom. Principal Devoll excitedly announced the return of Mrs. Carla Cafarella.

With a double major Bachelor's degree in Spanish

Literature and Speech Communications Studies from University of Rhode Island and a Master's Degree in Speech Communications Studies from Emerson College, Cafarella began teaching right out of graduate school at ORR. After three years, she decided to put her career on pause to start a family.

When her children were young, she began tutoring Spanish from her home until she began a seven-year term at the Loft Preschool in Marion. When her swift return to ORR was presented, she couldn't help but jump back in.

"The door was opened for me, so to speak. I've had my eye on the possibility of coming back for years. It just happened very quickly and unexpectedly this past month. It was an opportunity I didn't want to miss," said Cafarella.

A longtime lover of school, Cafarella seems to feel at home in the classroom.

"There's just something about being in the classroom that feels good to me," she said.

She has the belief, shared with many other teachers in the school, that the role of a teacher is important because "teaching is investing." With a strong philosophy like that and a persona that omits optimism, it is no wonder why she was chosen to return.

"I have had a very warm welcome! It's exciting to be back ... and very busy. There's so much to do and relearn for me this year. A lot has changed since I left ORR in '97. I'm familiarizing myself with new technology, Power School, building curriculum, learning names and a whole new routine. One of the best parts about being back is that my daughter is a student at the high school, and my son at the Junior High. I love being in the same building with them all day," she said.

ORR Sports Teams Pass Halfway Point of Seasons

ORR Sports Report

By Michael Kassabian

As September changes to October, it's time to look at the fall sports teams of ORR and how they have performed, as most teams have reached the midway point of their seasons. Except for football, whose season

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continues into late November, all teams are approaching the home stretch for their regular seasons, and their performances from here on out will determine whether or not they advance to state competitions.

Both the boys' and girls' soccer teams have performed admirably considering that they lost several seniors to graduation. The girls have been led by seniors **Hannah Walsh** and **Alison Francis**. Freshman midfielder **Sarah Beaulieu** has also shown she is varsity material and has been a key asset to the Lady Bulldogs. The girls' win-loss-tie record now stands at 4-5-2. **Teddy Costa** and **Robbie Magee** have led a young boys' team, and Goalie **Mikey Pruchnik** has been a key component. However, the boys' record is 3-6-1, and they will need to win the next several games in order to make the state tournament.

Both the boys' and girls' cross country teams are currently undefeated, with records of 3-0. **Mike Wyman** has been a consistent first place finisher for the boys, as has **Sammie Barrett** for the girls. However, in order for both teams to be undefeated SCC Champions, they will have to get by rival Seekonk on October 10.

ORR girls' volleyball has led a disappointing season so far but is starting to gain some momentum. Senior captains **Abby Robinson** and **Bre Meuse** have played well, as has junior **Juliana Nicolosi**. The girls' record is currently 2-8. ORR field hockey has had a great season so far, led by top scorer **Ally Saccone** and fellow classmate **Abby Offringa**. Defender **Erica Boulay** and Goalie **Hannah Cormier** have provided key defense for the Lady Bulldogs, whose record stands at 6-1-3. However, the girls lost a tough 2-0 game against SCC rival Apponequet that essentially stole the SCC crown from ORR. However, if they keep playing consistently, the girls should make the state tournament.

Nolan Bergeron and **Richie Phillips** have led the ORR football team to a great start, and their record is now 4-1 thanks to a 21-8 win against Case on Friday. Coach Henry Quinlan's new offensive strategy seems to be working well, and Bergeron has been one of the top scorers in the SCC with an impressive five touchdowns. The boys look to win a tough home game against the Wareham Vikings on Friday, October 12 at 4:30 pm.

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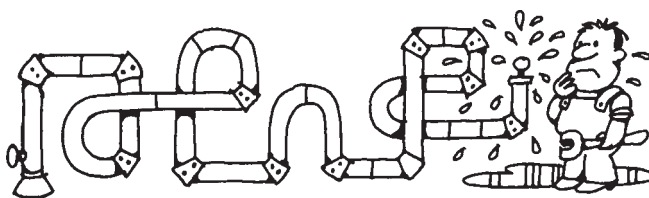
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Halloween Story Contest #1

Vessel in the Mist

The year was 2012, and I had gone to the Ned's Point to meet my friend Allison by the lighthouse. It was twilight, and the sky was lit up in a coral colored sunset. Five minutes, ten minutes, and Allison still wasn't there. I got bored and walked around a bit. I walked past the lighthouse door, I knew it would be locked, but I tried, and to my surprise, it opened.

A musty smell hit my nose as I curiously poked around. I could tell no one had been in here for a long time because a layer of dust covered everything. I decided to go up to the balcony so I started to climb the ladder.

I looked around some more and found the operating

room. I ran my fingers over the dull colored buttons spread out in front of me. I looked out the window at the never-ending ocean when something caught my eye.

A ship was anchored a short way out to sea in the mist. It seemed slightly transparent, like an illusion, but this ship was quite real. I squinted to make out the name of this massive vessel. The Wanderer. A shiver ran through my spine. It couldn't be, The Wanderer was a famous ship from the early 1900s. How could it be here today?

The Wanderer was on its last voyage in 1924, it had anchored off of Martha's Vineyard to wait out an approaching storm. During the night the anchor let go and the ship was destroyed on the rocks.

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years ago. Just then a lifeboat was lowered into the water and was coming towards the shore. I quaked with fear. Where should I go, what should I do? Soon the lifeboat was beached by some sweaty sailors and a captain.

They were all slightly transparent too, like distant memories from the past. They all had blank eyes and angry expressions on their faces. The captain said something to the sailors, then left. I looked around but didn't see him. Then I felt someone grab my arm. I whipped my head around and saw the captain holding my arm in an iron grip. I tried to scream but my voice was lost in my throat. He tied my hands behind my back and draped me across his shoulder like a potato sack.

I was blindfolded and gagged after we were down the ladder. I was set down in the lifeboat. All I could hear was the waves lapping against the boat like hungry animals begging for food. Finally we arrived at the ship. I was pulled roughly around until my blindfold was taken off. I was tied to a chair in what I assumed were the captain's chambers. I sat there and after a moment the captain said. "Where is your family." His voice was like a knife cutting through the air. "Why do you want to know?" I spluttered.

"I have come to put a curse on you and your family." He replied coldly. "Why?" I said in a voice fit for a mouse. "Because your great great grandfather was the one who lowered the anchor that night I died and The Wanderer was destroyed." He said. His voice was rising rapidly. "It wasn't his fault though!" I told him. "Of course it was!" He screamed. "GUARDS!" Two came rushing into the room. They pushed me out of the room and below deck. They unlocked the door and threw me in. I could hear it being bolted on the other side. I banged on the door and screamed for help. Then I heard a voice from the corner "I've already tried that, It doesn't work." It was Allison! But who was that man next to her? "I must be your great great grandfather." He said as if he had read my mind.

"You were the one who lowered the anchor the night The Wanderer was destroyed?" He nodded his head sadly. "I should have checked if the anchor was secure before I went to bed." He nodded his head. "Do you have any ideas for an escape plan?" Allison asked hopefully. I



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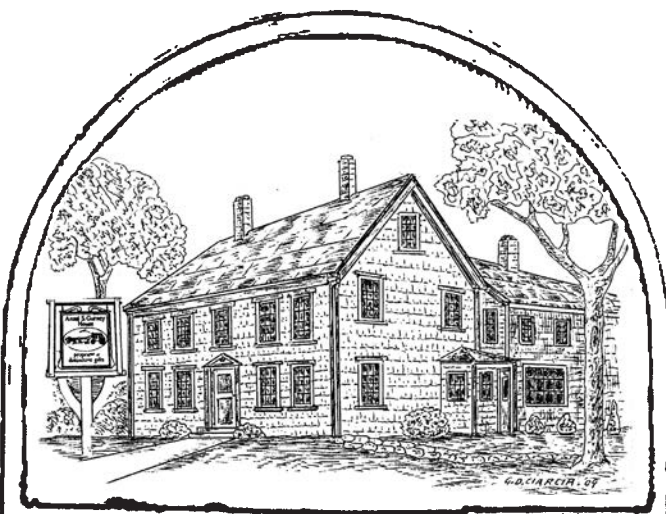
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thought for a minute and said, "I think I have the perfect idea."

That night I finished making a hook with the help from my great great grandfather. I used the pocketknife my father had given me and a rotting piece of wood from the wall. I handed it to Allison and she stuck it under the door. The snoring guard didn't even notice Allison trying to loop it around the key ring on his belt.

"Got it!" she cried. Allison pulled out the hook with the key ring around the end. She hastily unlocked the door and we all tiptoed out the door, up the stairs and into the lifeboat. "Aren't you coming?" I asked my great great grandfather. He shook his head. "I don't belong in your time, I'm a ghost, but the only way to get rid of the captain is to repeat the event that already happened." I immediately understood. The anchor had to let go and the ship had to be destroyed again. I pulled out my pocketknife and cut the rope that was holding the anchor. I waved good-bye as the ship disappeared beneath the waves.

Halloween Story Contest #2

The Ghost of the Gone

They say on Halloween night that the Ghost of the Gone comes out. He takes everything in sight. One night, Halloween night, a little girl came out of her room. She walked down the hall. All of a sudden a loud scream came from the kitchen. Her parents woke up, ran down

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the hall and into the kitchen. All they could see was a misty person. The parents were shocked they could not find their daughter. The ghost cackled and said, "She's far from here." Both parents looked at each other. The parents asked the ghost where their daughter was. The ghost did not answer. Then the parents heard big weeps for help. The parents rushed to the attic where they found their daughter curled up and scared. Then, all three went down to their rooms and got changed into super scary costumes. Then, they went to the kitchen and scared the ghost away and lived happily ever after.

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To the Editor:

September will always be my New Year. The academic calendar was permanently engrained in my being and I feel a sense of spring-like renewal and energy as the small people begin marching up to Sippican School wobbling against nearly their own weight in backpack contents. The slightly larger people in coats and ties and skirts crossing Front Street with their backpacks on their way to lunch, calculus or soccer practice reinforces that idea that new stuff is happening, new friendships and new connections are being forged. The change in tempo wakes you up from August's dog days, Red Bull for

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- Adult Boot Camp
 - Old Hammondtown School Gymnasium
 - Tuesday and Thursday 6:00 -7:00 am, Saturday 7:00-8:00 am
- Healthy School Lunchboxes Workshop
 - October 20th 1:30-3:00 pm
 - \$25/participant
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- Horsemanship for ages 6-12 y/o
 - Begins October 9th 4:00-5:30 pm
 - \$170/participant
 - Edgewood Farms, Rochester
- 7th and 8th Grade Boys Pick-Up Basketball
 - Thursdays 5:45 -7:45 pm
 - Free
 - Center School Gymnasium
- Adult Pick-Up Basketball
 - Thursdays – 6:00-7:45 pm and/or Sundays 10-noon
 - 1xweek = \$50/ 2xweek = \$100
 - Old Hammondtown School Gymnasium



- Adult Co-Ed Outdoor Soccer
 - Sundays – 9:00-11:00 am
 - Free
 - Old Rochester Regional
- Irish Step Dance
 - Mondays – 4:30 - 6:00 pm
 - \$80/participant
 - Center School Gymnasium

The following programs have begun but it is **not** too late to register for Session I or II:

- Gymnastics – Bay State Gymnastics
 - Fridays – 3:30-4:30 / 4:30-5:30 pm
 - Old Hammond Town Gymnasium
- Hip-Hop – Kaleidoscope of Dance and Gymnastics
 - Thursdays - 3:00 - 3:45 pm
 - Center School Gymnasium
- Musical Theatre – Aly Pereira
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Coming Soon: Adult Yoga, Kid's Holiday Crafting, Grades 1-6 Basketball, and Adult Indoor Soccer

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the soul! It almost takes the sting out of the fact that the harbor will begin to empty soon.

My New Year got even better when I was contacted by Gerry Rosen to help a group of East Marion citizens forge a more physical kind of connection to the rest of the town. When we bought our home in East Marion we knew we would miss cooking with natural gas and knew that heating our home would be more expensive with oil than it had been in the village, but didn't give it much thought. I'm glad to tell you that we have more active citizens who are willing to challenge the status quo and attempting to connect East Marion to the rest of the town and share the access to natural gas that you might enjoy today.

Natural gas is a cleaner burning fuel and roughly 50 percent cheaper to use to heat your home and 70 percent cheaper than propane. This represents a sizeable chunk in a typical household budget. Candidly, this is the primary reason why I want natural gas to come down Jenna Drive. However, burning natural gas instead of heating oil also produces 50 percent lower carbon dioxide emissions and, as a sailor, I know that in some very small way using natural gas might help prevent future oil spills like the one in 2003 that dumped 98,000 gallons of fuel along 53 miles of western Buzzards Bay shoreline.

At present about 700 homes in Marion, or roughly a third, do not have access to natural gas. NSTAR is currently working on an economic and engineering

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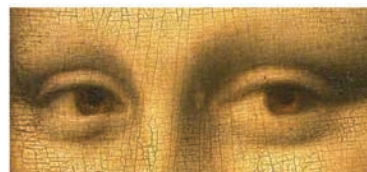
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analysis to see if the extension is worth their while. My hunch is that the analysis is a result of active prompting from the East Marion Natural Gas Committee which has studied all the possible ways of hooking up East Marion, including a separate gas cooperative modeled after 3,700 successful rural utilities currently providing gas, water, sewage and electricity to their cooperative members. We don't think of ourselves as a rural community but our density and other measures qualify us for this possibility. This volunteer group from East Marion has the skilled technical and professional leadership necessary to make this happen, but the hope is that NSTAR moves promptly forward with their own extension.

The best way to move this forward is for every East Marion resident to send an email to Gerry Rosen at tigereye2@comcast.net and say simply "We want natural gas at our home." That simple expression of interest is what moves us closer to having NSTAR extending the gas lines that already serve most of the town. We, who will choose to hook up now, will likely have to pay either a modestly higher gas rate or other fee for acquiring

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the new service — fair enough. Even if you do not want natural gas now, I would ask you to consider supporting the extension of lines to East Marion because some day some gourmet cook may be walking through your home considering buying it and turn to your real estate broker to ask "is gas available here?" Support the extension as way to support your choice of whether to hook up to it or not, now or in the future.

Fall is in the air, a great time to forge new connections to our fellow neighbors and citizens working to improve our town. Send Gerry a note at tigereye2@comcast.net and say "We want natural gas at our home!" Thanks for your consideration.

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• **Winter Story Time**, for children between the ages of three and five, begins **January 3** and runs through **February 28**. Children are invited to enjoy stories, fingerplays and crafts on Monday mornings at 10:30 am. Pre-registration is required.

• **Winter Lapsit Story Time**, for ages 0-23 months, begins **Tuesday, January 4** and runs through **February 22**. It's never too soon to share the wonderful world of reading with your baby! Pre-registration is required.

The Elizabeth Taber Library is located at 8 Spring Street in Marion. Sign up by calling 508-748-1252, stopping by the library or emailing Rosemary Grey at rgrey@sailsinc.org. More program information can be found on the library's website at www.elizabethtaberlibrary.org.

MLT Fall Exploration

The Mattapoisett Land Trust invites the public to join members and friends on **Saturday, October 13**, from 1:00 to 3:00 pm as we explore the biological diversity of the Nasketucket Bay State Reservation. Retired UMass Dartmouth Professor of Biology and artist Jim Sears will lead the walk. Our excursion will introduce participants to the variety of flora and fauna in the Reservation with the hope that children and adults will return to explore again at their leisure. Refreshments after the walk will be provided by the MLT.

All interested walkers should meet at the Nasketucket Bay State Reservation parking lot off of Brandt Island Road at 1:00 pm. The trails are relatively dry but long pants and waterproof shoes are recommended. For more information call 774-377-9191, or email info@mattlandtrust.org.

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On **Thursday, October 25**, the van will be traveling to the Boston Science Museum. Pick-up will begin at 10:00 am. Please call to reserve your spot on the van. Price of admission and lunch are on your own.

The speaker series continues on the first Wednesday of the month at 1:00 pm at the Marion Police Station. On **Wednesday, November 7**, the topic is Advance Directives. Please join us for this informative talk given by Rosa Farizo from South Coastal Counties Legal Services. Pre-registration is not needed.

Marion Democratic Committee Meeting

The Marion Democratic Town Committee will hold its monthly meeting at the Music Hall, 164 Front Street on **Saturday, October 20** at 10:00 am. All Democrats and Independents are welcome. For more information, contact Eileen J. Marum at 508-758-9751.

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- **Saturday, October 27**, 9:30 – 11:00 am
- **Monday, November 5**, 12:00 – 2:00 pm
- **Thursday, November 15**, 4:00 – 7:00 pm
- **Wednesday, November 21**, 9:00 – 11:00 am

Home visits for homebound residents may be scheduled by appointment. Please call the Marion Board of Health at 508-748-3530 to schedule a home visit.

Please note: please wear a short-sleeved shirt to the clinic and remember to bring your insurance cards. Residents of all ages are encouraged to attend!

Showstoppers Audition Notice

Showstoppers Musical Entertainment is seeking talented youth for its 11th annual audition to be held on **Saturday, October 20** at 2:00 pm at 119 Wareham Road, Suite 102, in Marion (in the plaza on the corner of Route 6 and Point Road).

Boys and girls in grades 2 – 12 are encouraged to try out to participate in the community service singing troupe that was originally formed in 2002. Candidates are asked to prepare two song selections, a ballad and an upbeat tune, that can either be sung a cappella or with an accompaniment CD. Accompaniment music must not contain lead vocals.

Successful candidates will be offered an opportunity to make an impact on their community by offering free musical entertainment to the elderly at nursing homes, senior centers and assisted living facilities. The troupe will also perform for the community at-large through a variety of private and public venues, including fairs, festivals, schools, malls, charitable fundraisers and other civic events.

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For the first time ever, the Mattapoisett Congregational Church is opening its Holiday Faire to local craftsmen and artists. This year, the Faire is scheduled for **Saturday, November 10** from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Showcase your talent, get local recognition and sell your products at this popular annual event!

Two spaces will be available for vendors of handmade goods at a fee of \$70 plus a product donation. A committee of Faire officers will select vendors during the last week in October. For the more information, please contact the church office at mattcong@verizon.net or 508-758-2671 by **October 19**.

Rochester Historical Society Meeting

The Rochester Historical Society meeting on **Wednesday, October 17** will feature a talk tracing the life of Captain Charles Bryant of Rochester by Seth Mendell, president of the Mattapoisett Historical Society. Bryant grew up in Rochester, went to the Pacific and Alaska whaling, and in 1867 when the US purchased Alaska, he was chosen Territorial Governor of Alaska because of his knowledge of the Eskimo customs and language. In later years, he returned to this area and operated the Bay View Hotel on the Mattapoisett waterfront.

The meeting will take place at the East Rochester Church/Museum, 355 County Road at 7:00 pm. All are welcome. Refreshments will be served.

A reminder: If you missed the "Cranberries in Rochester" exhibit, the Museum and gift shop will be open on Sundays from 1:00 to 3:00 pm in October.

Mattapoisett Maconchu Club Meeting

The Maconchu Club of the Mattapoisett Congregational Church will begin the fall season with a potluck dinner at 6:00 pm on **Saturday, October 20** at the church. Please bring a main dish or salad for 6 to 8 people and your own place settings. The committee will serve coffee and dessert. The speaker for the evening will be

Judy Kennedy who went to China this past summer with her son and his wife, who is from China, and their two sons to visit her parents in China. Judy has much to tell us about living there which we would never learn about if traveling on our own. All are welcome to join us at the meeting.

Mattapoisett Library News

• **Bottle and Can Redemption:** The Junior Friends will be collecting redeemable bottles and cans on **Saturday, October 13** from 9:00 to 10:00 am outside the library. Proceeds benefit the Junior Friends and their work in the library and the community.

• **Friends' Used Book Sale:** Hundreds of new donations have come in since the last sale, so this month's selection will be terrific. The sale will be held at the library, 7 Barstow Street, from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm on **Saturday, October 13**. During the same hours, the Junior Friends of the Library will be holding a bake sale featuring delicious home-made cookies, brownies, cakes and more. Stop by and support these important organizations.

• **Teens Become Interior Decorators:** Students interested in helping to plan the new teen space at the library are welcome to a meeting on **Wednesday, October 10** from 3:30 to 4:30 pm. Those present will help to choose new furniture, fun decorating elements, and can advise the library staff on the library's new music and DVD



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Tri-Town Fall & Halloween Happenings!

Saturday, October 13

- Sippican Lands Trust Geocaching, 9:30 am:

Please join guest leaders Diane Camacho and Jo-Anne Gallant for a Geocaching walk through SLT's White Eagle property. Geocaching is similar to a technological scavenger hunt. Bring a GPS device or a GPS-enabled mobile phone. If you don't own a GPS, someone will assist you. The event is free.

- Mattapoisett Museum & Carriage House

Fall Festival, 2:00 pm: Celebrate the season with apples and pumpkins. Help us press apples in an old-fashioned cider press and then sample your work. See and taste applesauce made with old-fashioned apple peelers and food mills. Mattapoisett Museum & Carriage House, 5 Church Street, 508-758-2844, www.mattapoisethistoricalsociety.org.

- Mattapoisett Lands Trust Fall Exploration,

1:00 to 3:00 pm: The Mattapoisett Land Trust invites the public to join members and friends as we explore the biological diversity of the Nasketucket Bay State Reservation. All interested walkers should meet at the Nasketucket Bay State Reservation parking lot off of Brandt Island Road at 1:00 pm. The trails are relatively dry but long pants and waterproof shoes are recommended. For more information, call 774-377-9191 or email info@matlandtrust.org.

Sunday, October 14

- Harvest Moon Seafood Festival, 3:00 to 5:00 pm:

The Mattapoisett Police Officers Association and the Town of Mattapoisett will be holding a Harvest Moon Seafood Festival in Shipyard Park. Tickets are available at Town Hall. The event will be held in memory of Richard "Turk" Pasquill.

Tuesday, October 16

- Spooky Halloween at the Mattapoisett Library,

6:00 pm: Jeff Belanger is returning to town and will take you on a multimedia journey through Halloween at the Mattapoisett Free Public Library. Get ready to explore all of Halloween's aspects from the holiday's haunted history to the many ghostly legends that lurk around the world. Get ready to be spooked!

Friday, October 19

- Murder with Wine, 6:00 to 9:00 pm:

The Gleason Family YMCA is hosting a murder mystery and wine tasting at the Marion Music Hall. Explore rich, compelling selections of beer and wine along with food pairings from local restaurants and caterers. Add some suspense to the evening with a Murder Mystery directed by Michele Letourneau, all to support the Gleason Family YMCA YCares Annual Support Fund. Tickets are \$50, or \$55 at the door. For more information, call 508-295-9622, ext. 15.

Saturday, October 20

- Old Hammondtown Cemetery Graveyard Tales,

6:30 pm: Join the Ghost Lady herself Barb Gaspar at Old Hammondtown Cemetery to hear spooky stories and local lore. Come and share your own experiences and interest

in the paranormal. Dress appropriately for weather, and bring a blanket and a flashlight.

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Saturday, October 27

• Mattapoisett Library Scarecrow Contest, 2:00 pm: Join in the fun when the Friends of the Mattapoisett Library sponsor the Annual Scarecrow Contest. Children and families may enter for free and scarecrows may be assembled that day and judged by a panel of Friends. Rules are available by contacting the children's library staff at 508-758-4171. Prizes will be awarded in several categories. There will be games and holiday snacks for all.

• Nightmare at 13 Atlantis Drive, 6:00 to 9:00 pm: Marion Recreation will be hosting the "Nightmare at 13 Atlantis Drive" Haunted House. Admission is \$5 per person. All proceeds will go to Marion Recreation Programs.

• Plumb Corner Mall Halloween Celebration, 3:00 to 5:00 pm: The Plumb Corner Halloween Bash will be held on Saturday, October 27 from 3:00 to 5:00 pm at the Plumb Corner Mall in Rochester. Festivities include face-painting, donut eating contest, magician and costume contest. Trick-or-treaters can go to all stores and businesses for a treat as well!

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Tuesday, October 30

• 92 Second St. Amityville Horror at Mattapoisett Library, 6:00 pm: Join Tim Weisberg at the Mattapoisett Library to explore fascinating paranormal experiences. Whether Lizzie Borden "took an axe" or not, the fact remains that on August 4, 1892, two people were slain at 92 Second Street in Fall River, MA.

Wednesday, October 31, Halloween

• Marion Annual Costume Parade, 4:00 pm: Marion will hold their annual Halloween costume parade through the center of town. Contact the Marion Art Center at 508-748-1266 for more information.

• Mattapoisett PD Annual Costume Parade, 6:00 pm: Join town residents in showcasing their Halloween costumes in the annual parade. The parade starts at 6:00 pm from the south side of the Center School on Barstow Street.

collection for teens. Bring a friend — students in grades 7 – 12 are welcome! For more information or to become involved if you cannot attend this meeting, contact the library staff at 508-758-4171 or stop by.


• **Halloween with Jeff Belanger:** Jeff Belanger is returning to town and will take you on a multi-media journey through Halloween at the Mattapoisett Free Public Library on **Tuesday, October 16** at 6:00 pm. Get ready to explore all Halloween's aspects from the holiday's haunted history to the many ghostly legends that lurk around the world. The Celts believed that this day marked the time when the veil between the world of the living and the dead was at its thinnest. Get ready to be spooked! This program is co-sponsored by the Friends of the Library and is intended for teens and adults.

• **Sharpen Your Creative Photography Skills with Instagram:** Teens and adults are invited to a free workshop with blogger and photographer (and librarian) Lucy Loomis on **Saturday, October 20** from 2:00 to 3:30 pm. Lucy is well-known for her Instagram skills and photo blogs and will show us how to enhance our photographs using this online program. Bring your smart phone, iPad or other device to play and experiment. Please sign up by calling 508-758-4171.

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• **92 Second Street: The Victorian "Amityville Horror"** – Join Tim Weisberg at 6:00 pm on **Tuesday, October 30** at the Mattapoisett Library to explore fascinating paranormal experiences. Whether Lizzie Borden "took an axe" or not, the fact remains that on August 4, 1892, two people were slain at 92 Second Street in Fall River, MA. In the years since this tragedy, many have sought to uncover the clues as to who exactly killed Andrew and Abby Borden on that dreadful day and if Lizzie Borden played a hand in the deaths of her father and stepmother. Now, those who visit the house — which has since become a bed and breakfast — report strange occurrences that have caused many to flee screaming in the middle of the night. Tim Weisberg has experienced such paranormal phenomena first-hand in the Borden house, and whatever spirits reside there, they've made it clear to him that they don't like him poking about in their



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In this discussion, Tim will share his personal experiences in his six-plus years of investigating of the Borden house and bring along some of the best evidence. You'll see strange photographs, intriguing videos and hear what may possibly be the voice of Lizzie Borden herself! Tim will explain the comparisons between the Borden murders and "The Amityville Horror" case, including the psychic who shares a terrifying connection between the Borden and DeFeo murders. This program is intended for teens and adults.

Tim Weisberg is one of the world's most recognized researchers of the paranormal. He created the Spooky Southcoast radio show along with Matt Costa in late 2005, seeking to combine an entertaining and interactive talk show format with the world of the strange and unexplained. Tim is also the author of *Ghosts of the SouthCoast* and co-author of *Haunted Objects: Stories of Ghosts on Your Shelf*, and has been featured on the History Channel, BIO, the Travel Channel, the Discovery Channel and LIVING TV. A sports writer by trade, Tim also covers the Boston Celtics and the New England Patriots for *The Standard-Times*.

• **Pride and Prejudice: The Movie:** Everyone is welcome to a viewing of *Pride and Prejudice* starring Sir Laurence Olivier and Greer Garson on **Wednesday, October 17** at 6:30 pm. Enjoy some refreshments made from recipes of Jane Austen's day and discuss this



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• **Novelist Anne D. LeClaire to speak at the Friends' Annual Meeting:** The public is welcome to join the Friends of the Library at their Annual Meeting on **Sunday, October 21** at 3:00 pm when they will welcome writer Anne D. LeClaire, author of 8 novels, some set in New England and the local area.

• **Something New! Tot Time at the Mattapoisett Library** – A new group is forming at the library for moms, dads, grandparents, nannies and anyone who is caring for a child. Drop in at the library on Thursdays from 10:30 to 11:30 am to enjoy time with other parents and caregivers, with children. Babies welcome! Share a song or game that your child enjoys, learn about the parent resources at the library or just chat and exchange ideas with other adults. No registration is required — just come! A librarian will be available to assist with book selections, tips on reading to your child and other resources.

• **Download Ebooks with Ease** – Stop by one of the free ereader workshops to learn about how to download ebooks to your ereader, iPad or smart phone. Library staff member Elizabeth Sherry conducts workshops on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 pm and Friday afternoons at 3:00 pm. Bring your own device or try one at the library. Everyone is welcome. Assistance is also available by appointment by calling 508-758-4171.

• **Writers' Group** – The Writers' Group welcomes new members the first and third Wednesday of each

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EDITOR'S PICK OF THE WEEK

An Escape from Communist Hungary: Chiodi's Story

There was one quote that rang in the ears of Hungarian-born Charles Chiodi when a gun was pointed in his face 56 years ago as he was trying to escape his homeland. They were the last words his mother ever spoke to him just a few years before.

"No matter how bad life is, there is always sunshine behind the clouds," Chiodi said repeating his mother's wisdom.

Chiodi led his family to safety in 1956 when they fled Hungary to escape the Communist regime. It was a long, strenuous journey that eventually landed the family in the United States, and ultimately in Marion. Now, after a life full of adventure, Chiodi is sharing his story, a book of memoirs entitled *There is Always Sunshine Behind the Clouds*.

"It didn't start as a book," said Chiodi. "I used to make notes and my anecdotes eventually became a book."

In front of a captivated audience at the Little Neck Village clubhouse in Marion, Chiodi shared his life story. The year was 1956 and there was a Communist Revolution in Chiodi's native Hungary. As the Russian troops planned to invade, there was a six-week time span for the Hungarians to get to safety.

"Tens of thousands of families left," he said. "And those who stayed there, wished they left."

Within weeks, the Russians had transformed the once beautiful Hungarian landscape into a prison. Land mines, barbed wire, dogs and guns were all implemented in order to prevent refugees from escaping.

Charles took his wife Violetta, and two children Charles Jr. and Letty, bought a bag of candy to keep the children quiet, took a bus to Hungary's western border and set out on foot to safety in Austria; a dangerous, yet necessary journey.

"Every night we saw truckloads of people being caught," said Chiodi. "Children were taken by the government so they could be raised as good Communists."

The Chiodi family thought they were safe as they approached the Austrian border. However, a Hungarian guard pointed a gun in Charles' face asking where he was headed. In that fleeting moment, one



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thought popped into his mind.

"I thought that I might as well say goodbye to them," he said, thinking he might never see his family again.

But a cry from one of his children for candy gave the soldier a change of heart. After agreeing to never disclose the soldier's information if the family was stopped and asked who let them through, the Chiodi's finally crossed the border into Austria and into freedom.

"We got down and kissed the ground," Charles said.

From the border, the family hopped on a train to Vienna, and then they boarded a train to Italy. Thanks to the generosity of the Old Parish Church in Hingham, MA who sponsored the family, they were able to fly to the United States to start their new lives. The day after Christmas in 1956, the family landed at Kennedy Airport and was taken to New Jersey for a brief holding period.

From New Jersey, the family ended up in Hingham in a house provided by the church sponsors, before eventually moving to Rockland and settling in Marion, where they currently reside.

Perhaps even more difficult than their journey to the States, was adapting to American culture. According to Chiodi, learning the English language was extremely difficult.

"Once you left Hungary, you were stuck with your Hungarian language," he said. "No one else spoke it. It's hard to start a life when you don't speak the language."

But a language barrier never kept Chiodi from being successful. After a three-week crash course in English, he earned his driver's license and bought a car. He earned his first job in America in a dark room developing photographs

for a newspaper. From there, he opened up his own advertisement agency.

Still, something was missing.

"I wasn't too into advertising because I had to lie to make a living," he said.

In his free time, one of Chiodi's favorite hobbies was sailing. He joined various yacht and boating clubs, and even built his own boat with three hulls. Writing about sailing and traveling the world seemed like the perfect career choice, so Chiodi launched *Multihulls* magazine. For 35 years, the magazine was published in 104 countries before he pulled the plug on the operation due to money.

But, for the Hungarian refugee, husband, father of five, grandfather, journalist and world traveler, he has no regrets.

"I had my fun. I had enough writing. I had enough sailing. I was pleased with my life," he said.



month from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm. All genres are discussed in a supportive atmosphere.

League of Women Voters Blue Book Announcement

In preparation for the next edition of the popular Blue Book, the telephone directory published bi-annually by the League of Women Voters of Marion, Mattapoissett, Rochester, residents should verify that they are listed in the directory and that their listing is accurate. This can be accomplished by either checking the 2011-12 Blue Book for your residential listing or by going online to www.lwvmmr.org/phonebook and looking under the listing for your town.

In each case, verify the accuracy of your name, address, postal box number if you have one, and primary phone number whether landline or cell. Then contact the League with any additions, deletions, or corrections to that listing. Please note that we must be notified if you prefer your phone number to be unlisted. We especially welcome information from new residents in the Tri-Town area.

Notify the League of any changes by email at lwvmmr@comcast.net or by postal mail to LWV PHONE BOOK, P.O. Box 812, Marion, MA 02738. All information must be in written form.

Your information will be entered into the online phone book database now in anticipation of printing the next edition in the spring. Print copies will be mailed FREE to over 8,000 postal patrons in the three towns. With the demise of the print version of the Verizon white pages, the Blue Book is more important than ever. Help insure its accuracy by checking your listing and notifying us of the changes you wish us to make.

ORRHS Drama Club Presents *Romeo & Juliet*

If you've ever wanted to see a live stage performance of William Shakespeare's classic, tragic love story *Romeo & Juliet*, than look no further! The Old Rochester Regional High School's Drama Club will be performing it from **November 15 to November 18**. This production has a cast of 110 students. Paul Sardinha directs the production with costumes by Helen Blake.

The cast stars: Sr. Dan Donohue as Romeo, Sr. Katie Kiernan as Juliet, Sr. Max Houck as Tybalt, Sr. Alex Milde as Mercutio, Sr. Ethan Faulkner as Lord Capulet, Sr. Hayleigh Dumas as Lady Capulet, So. Patrick McGraw as Lord Montague, Sr. Sophia-Lynn Ellis as Lady Montague, Jr. Ali Grace as Nurse, So. Ian MacLellan as Friar Lawrence, So. Michael Amato as Prince Esculas, Jr. Samuel Resendes as Benvolio, Fr. Ricard Bodin as Sampson, So. Alex Carr as Paris, Sr. Michael Edwards as Abraham, Jr. Chris Helmar as Peter, Jr. Nicholas Iacovelli as the Apothecary, Jr. Haakon Perkins as Gregory, Jr. Troy Rood as Balthasar, and Fr. Victor Morrison as Father Jack.

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The performance dates are **November 15, 16 and 17** at 7:30 pm and **November 18** at 2:00 pm. Ticket prices are \$10 for students and senior citizens and \$12 for the general public. They may be purchased at the door and will also be sold at The Pen and Pendulum in Mattapoissett (508-758-3631), Plumb Corner Market in Rochester (508-763-5333) and the Marion General Store in Marion (508-748-0340). For ticket reservations, please phone Lisa Cardoza at 508-758-6762.

MLT 6th Annual Salty Soiree

Salty the Seahorse and the Mattapoissett Land Trust once again wish to invite children of all ages to join us for some fun in the firelight on **Saturday, October 20**, from 5:30 to 8:00 pm at Dunseith Gardens (Route 6 at North Street). The Land Trust will provide the cooking fires with hay-bale seating and the ingredients for "s'mores," as well as cider for a healthy thirst-quencher. Entertainment will include music and storytelling by Take Two Tandem Tellers. Entrance to the property will be illuminated by luminaria created by the students at Center School.

All are welcome. Guests need to park off-site, so please bring a flashlight to help you return to your car. In case of inclement weather, we will try again on **Saturday, October 27** at the same time. Check the website, www.matlandtrust.org, for further details.

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Obituaries:

Frederick C. Tuxworth, husband of Lorraine (Wallace) Tuxworth of Mattapoisett died of natural causes at the Sippican Healthcare Center, in Marion, on Thursday, October 4, 2012. He was 97 years old.

Born on December 30, 1914 in Cincinnati, Ohio, he was the youngest child of the late Charles and Elsie (Fischer) Tuxworth. As a young man, Fred was a competitive swimmer at Purdue University and was a lifelong member of the YMCA. He swam regularly well into his ninties.

He was a naval aviator during WWII flying a Vought OSU2 King Fisher while stationed in the Aleutian Islands. Later during the war, he flew Grumman F6F's from the Carrier Hornet. He was the recipient of the Distinguished Flying Cross. Following the war, Fred began his professional career as an Engineer at Brown Rubber in Lafayette, Indiana. He later worked at the Acushnet Company, in New Bedford, and Ohio Rubber, in Mentor, Ohio.

After moving to Mattapoisett in 1959, Fred pursued his passion for sailing. He was a member of the American Schooner Association and he and his family sailed their beloved

TYEHEE in the waters from Buzzards Bay to Nova Scotia. His other passion, began in his youth and continued after his retirement, was building model airplanes. He was a member of the Bristol County R C Club and renowned for his craftsmanship. He specialized in building 1/8th scale models. A model of his Loening OL-6 Amphibian is exhibited at the Museum of Flight in Islip, NY.

Besides his wife of 69 years, Fred is survived by a son, Douglas and grandson, Graham. He was pre-deceased by a son Gregory W. Tuxworth. He was a man of wit and integrity, who will be greatly missed.

In accordance with his wishes he will be cremated. A Memorial Service will be held Saturday, October 13, 2012, at 11:00 AM, in the Mattapoisett Congregational Church. Interment in the family cemetery with military honors will be private. Arrangements are under the direction of the Donaghy Funeral Home, 465 County Street, New Bedford.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the American Heart Association, P.O. Box 417005, Boston, MA 02241-7005.

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Sunday October 14, 2012

6:30 AM - Words of Peace
7:00 AM - Second Coming Church
8:00 AM - New Testament Church of Cedarville
9:00 AM - Music and the Spoken Word
9:30 AM - First Congregational Church of Rochester
11:00 AM - Army Newswatch
11:30 AM - White House Chronicle
Noon - Register's Report
12:30 PM - Cape Cod Book Scene
1:00 PM - Physician Focus
1:30 PM - Navigating the Way for Seniors
2:00 PM - Music and the Spoken Word
2:30 PM - First Congregational Church of Rochester
4:00 PM - New Testament Church of Cedarville
5:00 PM - Words of Peace
5:30 PM - Older and Loving It
6:00 PM - Animal Control Issues
7:00 PM - Arts 21
9:00 PM - Dartmouth Community Medical School
Forums
Midnight - Midnight Movie

Monday October 15, 2012

8:00 AM - Arts 21
9:00 AM - Legal Ease
9:30 AM - Your Money Your Life
10:00 AM - New England Journal
10:30 AM - Animal Control Issues
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Jazzercise
Noon - Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Robbi Around Town
3:00 PM - Words of Peace
4:00 PM - Earth Focus
4:30 PM - Explore
5:00 PM - Reeling - The Movie Review Show
6:00 PM - Become Your Own Gym
8:00 PM - Boating Local

9:00 PM - European Journal
9:30 PM - Global 3000
10:00 PM - Consumer Affairs
10:30 PM - Life Matters
11:00 PM - The David Pakman Show
Midnight - Midnight Movie

Tuesday October 16, 2012

8:00 AM - Navigating the Way for Seniors
9:00 AM - Graceful Aging
10:00 AM - Fast Forward
10:30 AM - Senior Scene
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Jazzercise
Noon - Midday Movie
3:00 PM - Dartmouth Community Medical School
Forum
5:30 PM - Graceful Aging
6:00 PM - Living Healthy
6:30 PM - The Dr. Is In
7:00 PM - Senior Scene
7:30 PM - New England Journal
8:00 PM - Upper Cape Tech Presents - Careers
9:00 PM - Robbi Around Town
10:00 PM - 2012 Rochester Country Fair
10:30 PM - Physician Focus
11:00 PM - Army Newswatch
Midnight - Midnite Mausoleum

Wednesday October 17, 2012

8:00 AM - Physician Focus - Special - Mosquito and Tick Born Diseases
9:00AM - Emily's Garden
10:00 AM - Cooking with Marie
10:30 AM - Living Healthy
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Jazzercise
Noon - Midday Movie
3:00 PM - Sci-Fi Journal
4:00 PM - The David Pakman Show
5:00 PM - The Register's Report
6:00 PM - Become Your Own Gym

7:00 PM - Boating Local
8:00 PM - Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
9:00 PM - The David Pakman Show
10:30 PM - Life Matters
11:00 PM - 30 Odd Minutes
11:30 PM - Paranormal Generation
Midnight - Midnight Movie
1:30 AM - Sci-Fi Journal

Thursday October 18, 2012

8:00 AM - Navigating the Way for Seniors
9:00 AM - The Register's Report
9:30 AM - NASA 360
10:00 AM - Expedition New England
10:30 AM - Kids a Cookin'
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Jazzercise
Noon - Midday Movie
2:30 PM - Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
3:30 PM - I Can Be Me
5:30 PM - The Garage
6:00 PM - Robbi Around Town
7:00 PM - Reeling - The Movie Review Show
7:30 PM - The Cooking Hour
8:30 PM - The Jazz Room Live
9:00 PM - Just Coolin' - Jazz Hour
Midnight - Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
2:00 AM - Midnight Mausoleum

Friday October 19, 2011

8:00 AM - Physician Focus - Special - Mosquito and Tick Born Diseases
8:30 AM - 2012 Rochester Country Fair
9:30 AM - Cooking With Marie
10:00 AM - Cape Cod Book Scene
10:30 AM - Tomorrow and Today
11:00 AM - Senior Stretch
11:30 AM - Jazzercise
Noon - Midday Movie
1:30 PM - Boating Local
2:00 PM - Emily's Garden
2:30 PM - Consumer Affairs

3:00 PM - European Journal
3:30 PM - Global 3000
5:00 PM - Explore
5:30 PM - Earth Focus
7:30 PM - Navigating the Way for Seniors
9:30 PM - Future Talk
10:00 PM - The Steve Katsos Show
10:30 PM - Get Connected
11:00 PM - 30 Odd Minutes
11:30 PM - Paranormal Generation
Midnight - Friday Night at the Drive-In - Midnight Movies

Saturday October 20, 2011

6:30 AM - Classic Cartoon Festival
8:30 AM - Peek-a-boo Turtle
9:00 AM - Yolotales
9:30 AM - NASA 360
10:00 AM - Robbi Around Town
11:00 AM - Kids a Cookin'
Noon - U-Mass Dartmouth Football
2:00 PM - Emily's Garden
2:30 PM - 30 Odd Minutes
3:00 PM - The Garage
4:00 PM - Neighbor to Neighbor with Don Cuddy
5:00 PM - Boating Local
5:30 PM - Expedition New England
6:30 PM - Upper Cape Tech Careers
7:00 PM - Reeling - The Movie Review Show
7:30 PM - The Cooking Hour
8:30 PM - The Jazz Room Live
9:00 PM - Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
11:00 PM - Just Coolin' - Jazz Hour
Midnight - Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
2:00 AM - The Dungeon of Dr. Dreik

MARION GOVERNMENT

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Daily Schedule

8:00 AM - Marion School Committee

11:00 AM - Latest Planning Board Meeting
1:00 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
4:00 PM - Marion School Committee
7:00 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
8:30 PM - Latest Planning Board Meeting

ROCHESTER GOVERNMENT

Comcast Channel 95

Verizon Channel 40

Daily Schedule

8:00 AM - Rochester School Committee
11:00 AM - Latest Planning Board Meeting
1:30 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
4:00 PM - Rochester School Committee
6:30 PM - Latest Board of Selectmen Meeting
8:00 PM - Latest Planning Board Meeting

EDUCATION CHANNEL

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Daily Schedule

8:00 AM - ORRHS Early Childhood Slideshow 2012
9:00 AM - The Mr. DeVoll Show - September 2012
10:00 AM - ORRHS Boys Soccer
Noon - Upper Cape Tech Presents - Careers
12:30 PM - ORRHS Commencement Ceremony 2012
2:05 PM - ORRHS TV 1 Project - Game Shows
3:00 PM - RMS Diabetes PSA Presentation - Spring 2012
5:00 PM - The Mr. DeVoll Show - September 2012
6:00 PM - ORRHS Boys Soccer
8:00 PM - Upper Cape Tech Presents - Careers
8:30 PM - The Mr. DeVoll Show - September 2012
9:10 PM - Tom Bliss Presents - Cape Cod Conservatory Jazz Band - Spring 2012

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The Mattapoisett Recreation Department is now offering Adult Boot Camp classes with Beth Smith at the Old Hammondtown School on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:00 to 7:00 am (early birds arrive at 5:45 am for 15 minutes of CORE) and Saturdays from 7:00 to 8:00 am. In session now! Visit the Mattapoisett Recreation Department on Facebook for a complete list of programs.



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MOVIE REVIEW

Dog Days

By Rob Gonsalves
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Frankenweenie. With the voices of Martin Short and Winona Ryder. Directed by Tim Burton. Running time: 87 minutes. MPAA rating: PG.

Imagine this: You're working for a huge family-friendly conglomerate. You direct a half-hour film to be shown before a re-release of one of the conglomerate's classic movies. The conglomerate hates your film and fires you. Twenty-eight years later, the same conglomerate hands you \$39 million to remake the same film they hated, in 3D stop-motion. They even let you make it in black and white. This, of course, is the story of Tim Burton, who made a short called *Frankenweenie* in 1984 for Disney, which has now thrown its full marketing weight behind the new remake. The lesson here is that if you make enough money (all told, Burton's films have earned \$1.7 billion for various studios, including Disney), your failures will be forgiven eventually. (Disney did acknowledge its short-sightedness earlier, releasing the first *Frankenweenie* on videotape in 1994 and then putting it on the *Nightmare Before Christmas* DVD as an extra.)

The 1984 *Frankenweenie* wasn't a failure, though; it was a charming tribute to the monster movies Burton grew up on (and this was before his career grew a little too long on charming tributes to the monster movies he grew up on). The new one — call it *Frankenweenie 2.0* — pretty much tells the whole story of the earlier version, with some padding that gets a little tiresome but does produce more monsters. Young Victor Frankenstein (voice of Charlie Tahan) obsesses over monster movies to the point of making his own, starring his beloved dog Sparky. One day, Sparky chases the wrong ball at the wrong time, and Victor loses his movie star and best friend. But not for long: Inspired by his science teacher (Martin Landau), Victor brings Sparky back to life on a dark and stormy night.

There are a couple of sad moments for dog lovers, especially those who have dug their share of tiny graves. But overall this is a comedy; Sparky doesn't come back as a monster — he comes back as the same Sparky, except that his tail or his ear occasionally falls off ("I can fix that" is Victor's refrain), and he needs to be "topped up" with a



jolt of electricity every so often. I have to say I prefer the original version, not only because it felt fresher at the start of Burton's career, but because it was shorter and didn't succumb to subplots. Here, we get complications when other kids in Victor's class find out about Sparky, and they want to learn Victor's secret so they can win the school's science fair. We don't really

care if they succeed or fail; it's just a distraction from what should be the main event, in which the townspeople, horrified, corner Sparky at a windmill, just like old times.

The windmill in the original short was a small windmill at a mini-golf course. Here it's a real windmill, and Victor has to run up endless stairs to save his neighbor Elsa (Winona Ryder) from a hybrid cat/bat as the windmill burns down around them. It reminded me of the entirely unnecessary fight at the end of Burton's *Edward Scissorhands*, which felt as if Burton had internalized all the studio notes he got on *Batman*. You gotta have a bang-up finish, kiddo! But the tiny windmill in the original had so much more charm; you knew Burton didn't have the budget to build and burn down a big windmill, so he improvised. In stop motion, you can do anything (and let's have a round of applause for Trey Thomas, the animation director here), and some of the additions are inspired — I enjoyed the re-animated turtle who becomes a sort of non-flying Gamera — but some of it nudges our ribs a little too hard. Hey, remember *Gremlins*? How about *Jurassic Park*?

I suppose we should be thankful there isn't a dancing number (no numbers at all, actually, except for some simpy end-credits song sung by Karen O). As long as it stays with the friendship of Victor and Sparky, *Frankenweenie* is fine. The look and tone are — say it with me now — a Charming Tribute to the Monster Movies Tim Burton Grew Up On, same as *Nightmare Before Christmas* and *Corpse Bride* and *Sleepy Hollow* and many others. The thing is, Disney should've had more faith in this premise back in 1984, when it mattered, instead of shocking it back to a bigger life now, after we've seen Burton return to this cobwebbed well again and again and again. It's been said before, but Burton is almost ready for his own amusement park — Burtonworld, home of dozens of lovable misfits, land of sportively macabre imagery. *Frankenweenie* passes 87 minutes nicely, but apparently the 54-year-old Burton doesn't have much more to say with this story than the 26-year-old Burton did. That's a little dispiriting.

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- **Saturday, March 2** – Registration Deadline is February 25

The Entrance Examination will be administered at Upper Cape Cod Regional Technical School located at 220 Sandwich Road, Bourne, MA 02532. Pre-registration is required. Walk-in registration on the day of testing will not be accepted. Seating is limited and will be granted on a first-come, first-served basis. The application fee, which includes one examination registration, is \$85 and payable by cash or money order only. Application forms which contain the Test Registration Form may be obtained by visiting www.uppercapetech.com. For additional information or to receive a registration form via mail, please contact 508-759-7711, ext. 277.

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SHS Presents: *Patton*

On **Friday, October 12**, the public is invited to enjoy another installment of the Sippican Historical Society's popular program, Classic Film Fridays. One Friday each month, the Society presents a classic movie and offers a discussion on its historical context or significance. October's film is *Patton*, a portrayal of the controversial military leader whose skills led the U.S. into the most famous and pivotal battles of the war in Europe.

Winner of seven Academy Awards, including Best Picture of 1970, the film shows General Patton to be an extraordinary and complicated figure: beloved and despised, charismatic and contentious. *Patton* stars George C. Scott and Karl Malden; it was described by the *Wall Street Journal* as "one of the most superlative American films."

Classic Film Fridays are held at the Marion Music

Hall (164 Front Street) and are offered free of charge to the public. Films begin at 7:00 pm and refreshments are available. For more information, contact the SHS at 508-748-1116.

Gateway Youth Hockey Results

Another exciting night for the Gateway Youth Hockey Bantam Team this past Saturday night in Pembroke! The boys shut down Hanover by a score of 5-0.

Scoring first for Gateway was Alex Atkinson with an assist from Jacob Tomasik and Jacob Spevack, who scored his first point this year as a first-time skater in this league.

In the second period, Doug Breault scored, assisted by Mike Houdlette and Will Paling. Alex Atkinson scored his second goal unassisted.

In the third and final period it was all Gateway again. Mat St. John scored unassisted. Then, scoring his third goal of the night and first-ever "hat trick" was Alex Atkinson, assisted by Connor Kelly.

Coach Mike Houdlette praised goalies Chase Cunningham and A.J. Bridges for outstanding goaltending and for the shutout!


Next Saturday morning at 10:30 am, the boys play in Pembroke; Sunday morning, they play at Barnstable at 10:30 am. Their record now stands at 3 wins and 2 losses.

Tri-County Symphonic Band Season Opener

The Tri-County Symphonic Band opens its 51st concert season with a program entitled "Fiesta del Pacifico" on **Sunday, October 21** at 3:00 pm at the Fireman Performing Arts Center on the campus of Tabor Academy in Marion, MA.

The concert begins with a fantastic flourish that was written especially for the group by Rochester, MA composer John Wallace. Wallace captures the excitement of a new beginning and the bountiful colors of the band. The piece that follows, Roger Nixon's opus "Fiesta del Pacifico," is considered one of the finest pieces written for the concert band and it is the feature composition in the presentation of music associated with the Pacific Ocean and the "Pacific Rim." Inspired by a 12-day festival held


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FIRE PREVENTION WEEK



The Marion Fire Department offered kids rides up on the ladder during their annual Fire Prevention Awareness week open house on Sunday, October 7, 2012. Photos by Eric Tripoli.



Above: Marion fire fighter Ryan Miller uses the jaws of life to dismantle a wrecked car, a demonstration.

Left: Sue Shannon (right) takes a photo of her daughter Ella (left) with Sparky the Fire Dog

In case you were wondering, Marion Fire Department's ladder truck can extend over 100 feet in height. Don't look down!




Ella Shannon of Marion plays with a toy house designed to teach young children about where potential fire hazards could be in their own homes.



Kent Spooner of Marion (left) and Madelyne Denham of Rochester pose for a photo during the Marion Fire Department's open house

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each year in San Diego, Nixon develops three different melodies while exploring a number of different tempos and moods. The Korean folk song "Arirang," which the composer heard while in Korea with the U.S. Army in the late 1950s, is set to five different variations in John Barnes Chance's "Variations on a Korean Folk Song." Of particular interest is the variation that features the percussion section. It is dynamically Korean in flavor. The first half of the program closes with the "Invercargill March." This march was written by Alex Lithgow and is dedicated to his hometown Invercargill, the southernmost city in New Zealand (End of the World).

The second half of the program begins with H. Owen Reed's "La Fiesta Mexicana," subtitled "A



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Mexican Folk Song Symphony for Concert Band." This is a work, written in 1949, based on experiences gained during a five-month sojourn in Mexico on a Guggenheim Fellowship. The authentic folk tunes Reed used can be found in Chapala, Jalisco and Guadalajara; other themes were borrowed from Gregorian motifs and Aztec dances. The program's finale is a selection of songs from the musical "South Pacific." The musical premiered in 1949 and won the Pulitzer Prize for Drama in 1950. Several of Richard Rodgers' songs, including "Bali Ha'i," "Some Enchanted Evening," "Happy Talk," "Younger Than Springtime" and "I'm in Love with a Wonderful Guy," will be featured in this arrangement by Erik Liedzen. The Broadway production won 10 Tony Awards, including

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TriTOWN HAPPENINGS



This is a variety of coral mushroom, which can be found growing near fallen trees



A viscid violet court mushroom.

On Saturday, October 6, 2012, the Rochester Land Trust held its first mushroom walk, a tour of the fungal varieties found in the woods near Church's Field. The RLT invited local mushroom expert Wesley Price to lead the tour and help residents identify the different mushrooms they collected along the way. Photos by Eric Tripoli



Bricktop mushrooms tend to grow in clusters, sometimes in soil, sometimes on fallen branches.



Left: On Sunday, October 7, dozens of local residents stopped by the Mattapoisett Knight of Columbus to check out the goods being sold at a yard sale. The yard sale, which is organized by Joann Price, raises money for the Community Cancer Care Fund to help local families in need who are struggling with the disease. Photos by Katy Fitzpatrick.

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Composer and Rochester resident John Wallace's fascination with wind instruments began in high school where he played the alto clarinet in the band. His fascination continued in the Air Force where he was an arranger and composer as well as a clarinetist and flautist with the US Air Force Band of the West. While teaching in California, John played with various groups and collaborated with the noted Hollywood arranger, film composer and conductor Vic Schoen. John has written music for concert band, orchestra, chamber groups, jazz groups and piano. His interests in jazz led to a well-received CD of his compositions featuring world-class Rhode Island and Massachusetts musicians John Allmark, Marshall Wood, John Wilkins, Bob Bowlby and Conny Williams. John's music has been performed at various venues throughout the country. He has had works performed at the University of California and the State University of New York. In addition to performances of his works by the United States Air Force Band of the West, the United States Navy Band presented a concert honoring his jazz compositions in Newport, Rhode Island.

Music has been one of three lifelong interests for John. Teaching psychology, helping others and writing fiction and non-fiction have also preoccupied him. All of these interests led to a PhD and professorships at Stanford University and the University of California. After 12 years of university teaching, the same interests led him out of academia and into the real world of clinical practice and making music. In Rhode Island, John served as the Director of Treatment at the highly-regarded treatment center Edgemoor Newport. In New York, he served as one of the Directors of Treatment at St. Vincent's Hospital,

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Westchester. A four-year stint as a psychologist in Harlem, NY taught him a great deal about the realities of racism and its consequences in American society. The President of Iceland awarded John a knighthood in recognition of his help in developing that country's chemical dependence and behavioral health programs. He was also awarded a lifetime achievement award from the National Association of Addiction Treatment Providers, an award he shared with previous winners President Gerald Ford and First Lady Betty Ford, Senator Harold Hughes and Senator Paul Wellstone. Along the way, John has managed to find time to write and publish a number of books, including a novel, as well as numerous short stories.

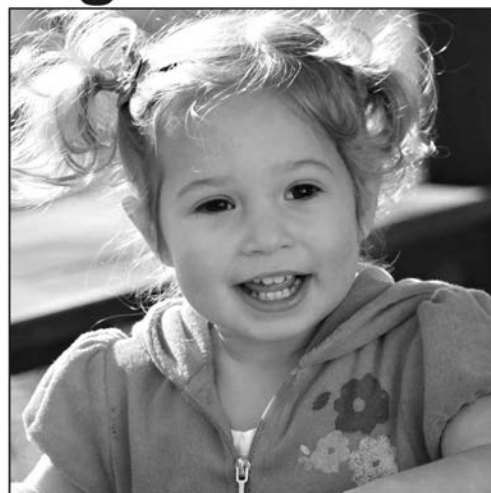
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- Front St – Officer wanted
- Point Rd – Suspicious MV
- Spring St – Medical emergency
- Oakdale Ave – MV accident
- Front St – MV accident
- Wareham Rd – Emergency services
- Point Rd – Officer wanted
- Wilson Rd – General service
- Wareham Rd – Paper service
- Washburn Park Rd – Suspicious activity
- Jenney Ln – Health/welfare
- Island Wharf Rd – MV accident
- Mill St – Civil complaint
- Beach St – Suspicious activity
- Front St – Suspicious person
- Rt 195W – Suspicious activity
- Spring St – Abandoned 911
- Front St – Waterways complaint
- Tucker Ln – B&E/past
- Olde Meadow Rd – Medical emergency
- Rt 195W – Transport
- Front St – Larceny/past
- Allen St – Medical emergency
- Bay Rd – Medical emergency
- Dexter Rd – Suspicious activity
- Front St – Order of protection
- Pasture Ln – Suspicious activity
- Front St – Paper service
- Creek Rd – Suspicious activity

MATTAPOISETT

Log highlights Sept 30 -Oct 6

- Long Plain Rd – Ambulance request
- Bayberry Ln - Disturbance
- Water St – Open door
- Fairhaven Rd – Follow up investigation
- Acushnet Rd – Ambulance request
- Fairhaven Rd – Health/welfare
- Main St – Medical assist
- Spruce St – Health/welfare
- Marion Rd – Officer wanted
- Cove St – Suspicious persons
- Angelica Ave – Health/welfare
- County Rd - Complaint
- Tinkham Ln – Ambulance request
- Acorn Ln – Ambulance request
- Mattapoisett Neck Rd – House check
- Fairhaven Rd - Disturbance
- County Rd – Family offense
- Shady Oak – Follow up investigation
- Marion Rd – K-9 search
- Marion Rd – Drug violation
- Marion Rd – Ambulance request
- Prospect Rd – B&
- Barlow Ln – Ambulance request
- Long Plain Rd – Health/welfare
- Brandt Island Rd – Health/welfare
- Church St – Stolen property
- Crook's Way – B&E
- Shore Dr – Ambulance request
- North St – Health/welfare

ROCHESTER

Log highlights Sept 29-Oct 7

- Hartley Rd – Harassment order service
- Williams Way - Disturbance
- Clapp Rd – Ambulance request
- Marion Rd – Officer wanted
- Lady Slipper Trl – Suspicious activity
- Hartley Rd – Ambulance request
- Cranberry Hwy – Larceny/forgery/fraud
- Neck Rd - Threats
- Cushman Rd – Highway matter
- New Bedford Rd – Noise complaint
- Stevens Rd – B&E
- Cranberry Hwy - Investigation
- Kings Hwy – Ambulance request
- North Ave – Ambulance request
- Walnut Plain Rd – Assist citizen
- New Bedford Rd – Ambulance request
- Marion Rd – Officer wanted
- Cushman Rd - Vandalism
- High St – Ambulance request
- Snipatuit Rd – Ambulance request
- Dexter Ln – Ambulance request
- Braley Hill Rd - Investigation
- New Bedford Rd - Lockout
- Hathaway Pond Cir – MV accident
- Neck Rd – Ambulance request
- Kings Hwy – Illegal dumping
- High St – Ambulance request
- Cranberry Hwy – Suspicious activity
- Taber Ln - Investigation

For a full PDF of the three town's police logs from the past week, including arrest reports, visit www.Wanderer.com.



REGIONAL LUNCH MENUS

COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

Monday, October 15: Spaghetti w/ meat sauce, Genoa blend, multigrain roll, apple turnover.

Tuesday, October 16: Turkey stew w/ veggies, whipped potato, whole wheat roll, apricots.

Wednesday, October 17: Shephard's pie, mixed veggies, whole wheat bread, applesauce.

Thursday, October 18: Kale soup, buttermilk chicken, rice pilaf, whole wheat roll, fresh fruit.

Friday, October 19: Fish sticks, tartar sauce, au gratin potatoes, summer blend, veg, whole wheat bread, strawberry cup.

CENTER SCHOOL

Monday, October 15: Chicken nuggets, lightly buttered noodles, garden salad, fruit, milk.

Tuesday, October 16: Build a burger: cheese, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickle, baked beans, Cape Cod potato chips, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, October 17: Stuffed crust pizza, cucumber slices, fruit, milk.

Thursday, October 18: French toast

sticks, light sausage patty, hashbrown, fruit, milk.

Friday, October 19: Beef burrito, Buffalo bean dip, carrot sticks, fruit, milk.

OLD HAMMONDTOWN

Monday, October 15: Chicken nuggets, lightly buttered noodles, garden salad, fruit, milk.

Tuesday, October 16: Build a burger: cheese, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickle, baked beans, Cape Cod potato chips, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, October 17: Stuffed crust pizza, cucumber slices, fruit, milk.

Thursday, October 18: French toast sticks, light sausage patty, hashbrown, fruit, milk.

Friday, October 19: Beef burrito, Buffalo bean dip, carrot sticks, fruit, milk.

OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JUNIOR & SENIOR HIGH

Monday, October 15: Chicken nuggets, lightly buttered noodles, garden salad, fruit, milk.

Tuesday, October 16: Build a burger: cheese, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickle, baked beans, Cape Cod potato chips, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, October 17: Cheese or chicken quesadilla, Spanish style cole slaw, fruit, milk.

Thursday, October 18: Pancakes, light sausage links, baked sweet potato chunks w/cinnamon, fruit, milk.

Friday, October 19: Beef burrito, Buffalo bean dip, carrot sticks, fruit, milk.

ROCHESTER MEMORIAL

Monday, October 15: Chicken nuggets, lightly buttered noodles, garden salad, fruit, milk.

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Wednesday, October 17: Stuffed crust pizza, cucumber slices, fruit, milk.

Thursday, October 18: French toast sticks, light sausage patty, hashbrown, fruit, milk.

Friday, October 19: Beef burrito, Buffalo bean dip, carrot stick, fruit, milk.

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Monday, October 15: Chicken nuggets, lightly buttered noodles, garden

salad, fruit, milk.

Tuesday, October 16: Build a burger: cheese, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickle, baked beans, Cape Cod potato chips, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, October 17: Stuffed crust pizza

Thursday, October 18: French toast sticks, light sausage patty, hashbrown, fruit, milk.

Friday, October 19: Beef burrito, Buffalo bean dip, carrot sticks, fruit, milk.

OLD COLONY REGIONAL

Monday, October 15: Grilled cheese, chili.

Tuesday, October 16: Chicken stir fry over mixed veggies, rice.

Wednesday, October 17: Meatballs sub, green beans.

Thursday, October 18: Turkey & gravy, stuffing, carrots & turnip, cranberry sauce.

Friday, October 19: Pizza, salad.

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Old Colony Students of the Month

The following Old Colony students were recognized as School Council "Students of the Month" for October 2012:

Automotive - Alexander Buckley, Mattapoisett, Grade 12

Computer Information Systems - Zachory Breau,
Freetown, Grade 12

Cosmetology - Molly Medeiros, Freetown, Grade 12

Drafting - Trenton Myers, Rochester, Grade 11

Electrical - James Rezendes, Freetown, Grade 10

Electronics Technology - Alex Pelletier, Acushnet, Grade 11

Graphic Communications - Morgan Furtado, Acushnet,
Grade 10

Health Careers - Kiana Cravinho, Acushnet, Grade 12

House/Mill Carpentry - Alexandre Clementino,
Acushnet, Grade 12

Welding/Metal Fabrication - Michael McGraw,
Mattapoisett, Grade 10

The criteria for the Student of the Month Program are based on a student's improvement, service, attitude and shop projects. The Program is intended to raise self-esteem in the student.



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The Plumb Corner Halloween Bash will be held on **Saturday, October 27** from 3:00 to 5:00 pm at the Plumb Corner Mall in Rochester. Festivities include face-painting, donut eating contest, magician and costume contest. Trick-or-treaters can go to all stores and businesses for a treat as well!

RCF Crazy Hat Party

The Rochester Country Fair will be hosting a CrAzY Hat Party with Live Music by The Relics on **Saturday, November 3** at 8:00 pm. The fundraiser will take place at The Ponderosa, located on the Route 105 Acushnet/Rochester Line.

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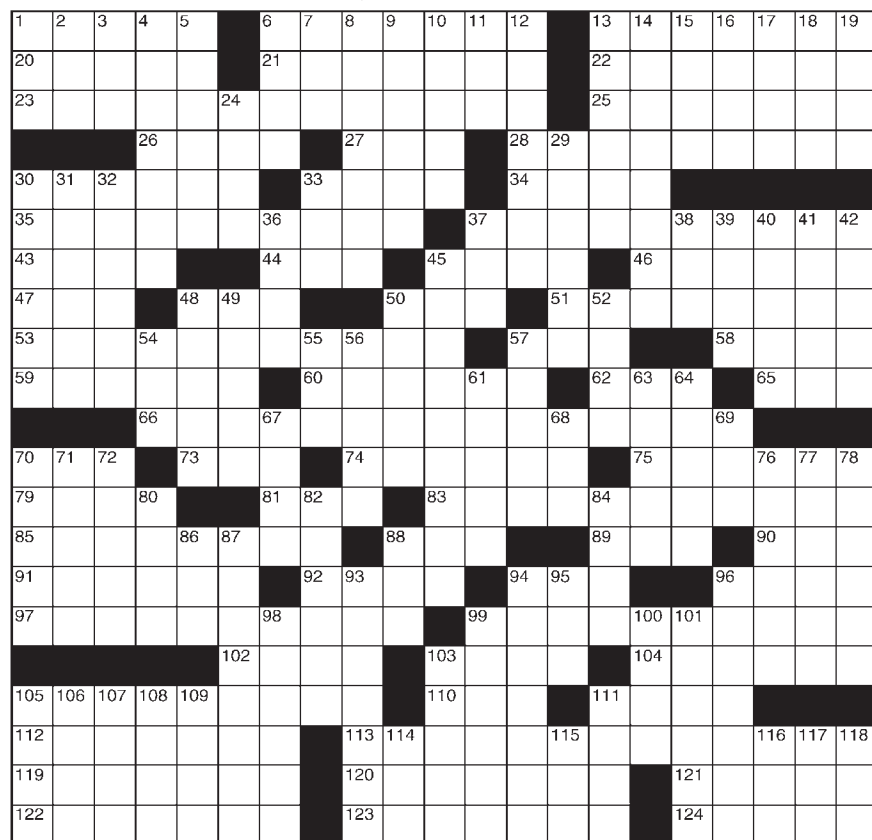
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ACROSS

- 1 "GoodFellas" co-star Joe
6 London subway route diagram
13 Plate
20 "Par —" (stamp on airmail)
21 Religious hermit
22 Wyoming tribe
23 "A Boy and His Dog" sci-fi writer
25 Pronto
26 Bus. college course
27 Aircraft abbr.
28 Star of the silent film "Madame Du Barry"
30 "Dharma & Greg" co-star Jenna
33 Pupil locale
34 Pick — (cavil)
35 In a certain folk singing style
37 Relief pitcher with the 2004 World Series-winning Red Sox
- 43 Revered one
44 Horse's kin
45 Padlock part
46 Sneaker stringers
47 Even if, briefly
48 Old crone
50 — -di-dah
51 "Got some thoughts?"
53 Old city buried by the eruption of Mt. Vesuvius
57 Man-mouse link
58 Additionally
59 Bun seed
60 1965
62 Bad, in Brest
65 Census stat
66 Novocain, for one
70 Twisty curve
73 U lead-in
74 Foray
75 First family as of 2009
79 Coal mines
81 High-fashion inits.
83 Boarding of a jet
85 Derides
88 Before, in verses
89 Hair stiffener
- 90 Sea, to Fifi
91 Forest feline
92 Dark loaves
94 Greek letter
96 Domicile
97 Native of Fiji or Vanuatu
99 Places to see stars in science centers
102 Back part
103 Lab bottle
104 Bond girl player
105 Have practical usefulness
110 Kin of Ltd.
111 In a crowd of
112 Stage names
113 Assorted
119 Tooth puller
120 Unicellular swimmers
121 Romanov royals
122 Chip away at
123 Gets thinner
124 Toss about
- DOWN
1 Oom- — band
2 Hungarian-born Gabor
3 English title

- 4 Gary of "Diff'rent Strokes"
5 How soup is often sold
6 Juvenile
7 Address for a dot-com
8 Minsk locale
9 Oskar
10 Sea vapors
11 — -Z (thoroughly)
12 Letter-writing friends
13 Attach with brads, e.g.
14 In a florid way
15 "Slither" star
16 Church nook
17 Sharp taste
18 Blacken on a grill
19 Arizona tribe
24 All-or —
29 More or less even (with)
30 Wharton and Bunker
31 Chinese nut
32 They're often tile-covered
33 Brains have high ones
36 Trilogy, often
37 Spa sound
- 38 — tai
39 A-F filler
40 Movie units
41 Make blank
42 County
43 whose seat is Newark
45 Hard-hitting carpenters
48 Comic's forte
49 Baldwin and Guinness
50 Greg Evans comic strip
52 Dog tag info
54 Fresno loc.
55 Zip
56 PC letter
57 Saloon sign
61 In unison
63 Make up for, as sins
64 Slander's kin
67 "Comin' —!"
68 "Good" cholesterol abbr.
69 Spying aid, briefly
70 — salts (cathartic)
71 After then
72 Sword material
76 Recollection
77 Vigorless condition
78 Watercourse
- 80 "Sisters" co-star Ward
82 Tiny grooves
84 Opposed to, in dialect
86 Politico Paul
87 Most severe
88 Nighttime, in verses
93 Hired lawn maintainer
94 Sugar pill
95 1968 film computer
96 Most difficult
98 Attends
99 — move-ment (military maneuver)
100 Actress Watson
101 Infects
103 Sunshade
105 Get dimmer
106 Intestine divisions
107 Dryer fluff
108 Sol followers
109 F — "Frank" brews
114 "— -comin'!"
115 Judge's field
116 Skull mover
117 Suffix with strict
118 NNE's opposite



SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Although you love being the focus of attention, it's a good idea to take a few steps back right now to just watch the action. What you see can help with an upcoming decision.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) "Caution" continues to be your watchword this week, as a former colleague tries to reconnect old links. There are still some dark places that need to be illuminated.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Making a good first impression is important. Revealing your often hidden sense of humor can help you get through some of the more awkward situations.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Taking that Cancer Crab image too seriously? Lighten up. Instead of complaining about your problems, start resolving them. A friend would be happy to help.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) A widening distance between you and that special person needs to be handled with honesty and sensitivity. Don't let jealousy create an even greater gap between you two.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Congratulations. Your handling of a delicate family matter rates kudos. But no resting on your laurels just yet. You still have to resolve that on-the-job problem.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) You might surprise everyone by being unusually impulsive this week. But even level-headed Libras need to do the unexpected now and then.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) A period of turmoil gives way to a calmer, more settled environment. Use this quieter time to patch up neglected personal and/or professional relationships.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) A new relationship could create resentment among family and friends who feel left out of your life. Show them you care by making more time for them.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Concentrate on completing all your unfinished tasks before deadline. You'll then be able to use this freed-up time to research new career opportunities.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) You're right to try to help colleagues resolve their heated differences. But keep your objectivity and avoid showing any favoritism 'twixt the two sides.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Your personal life continues to show positive changes. Enjoy this happy turn of events, by all means. But be careful not to neglect your workplace obligations.

BORN THIS WEEK: People of all ages look to you for advice and encouragement. You would make an excellent counselor.

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Put your party hat on and join us! Party goers are encouraged, but not required, to wear a CrAZy Hat to this dance party. Prizes will be awarded to those wearing the funniest and most original hats.

Limited tickets are available for \$10 each and must be purchased in advance at The Ponderosa, Matt's Blackboard Cafe or The Hair & Body Solution located at the Plumb Corner Mall in Rochester.

Donations of raffle items are sought. Please email the Country Fair at rochestercountryfair@comcast.net for additional information.

Plumb Library Events

Knitters and Crocheters! Anyone who has projects to work on for the holidays! We will be starting the knitting group again, this time on Monday evenings at 6:30 pm, starting **October 1**. Bring your work to the library to get some uninterrupted time to finish your project. Beginners who wish to learn are welcome to attend. In October, the knitting group will not meet on October 8 due to the Columbus Day holiday and on October 22 due to the Special Town Meeting.

It's that time of year again! We're looking for items to put into the Silent Auction for the Friends' Open House on **December 1**. Especially popular are handmade items such as knitted, crocheted or quilted projects, and framed paintings or photographs. Gift cards or baskets of items from local businesses are also desirable. If you are interested in donating something, speak to the library director or any member of the staff. All donations should be here by **November 28**.

Just the Facts, the nonfiction book discussion group, will be reading *Boomerang: Travels in the New Third World* by Michael Lewis, author of *The Big Short* and *The Blind Side*. This book is a collection of articles written for *Vanity Fair* about the fiscal crisis in the "Euro-zone." He tells this complex and important story by using characters such as a cod fisherman-turned-investment banker, a Greek monk who figured out how to game the system and an Irish developer so outraged by the collapse of his business that he drives earth-moving equipment across the country in protest. We will be discussing this book on



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Café Parlez's selection for October is *The Last Child* by John Hart. Winner of the Edgar Allan Poe award for mystery in 2010, this book tells the story of 13-year-old Johnny Merrimon, the only person in town who believes that his missing twin sister is alive. He risks everything to explore the dark side of his hometown, along with Detective Clyde Hunt, who has also never stopped looking for Alyssa. He watches over Johnny and tries to keep him safe, until a second child goes missing. This is a thrilling mystery that will keep you guessing. We will be discussing it on **Thursday, October 25** at 6:30 pm. Books are available at the desk, or bring your own copy. Café



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<p>TOWN OF MARION ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS LEGAL NOTICE CASE #664</p> <p>The Marion Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 25, 2012, in the main conference room of the Marion Town House located at Two Spring Street, Marion, Massachusetts, on the application of Tabor Academy for relief from a decision of the Building Commissioner, namely the denial of a building permit application dated August 31, 2012.</p> <p>The property, part of the existing Tabor Academy campus and located in the vicinity of Spring Street, Ryder Lane and Front Street, is further identified on Assessors' Plan 13 as lot 44. Robert D. Wedge, Chairman 10/4, 10/11</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS LEGAL NOTICE CASE #663</p> <p>The Marion Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, October 25, 2012 in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House, on the application of Joseph F. and Lucy P. Napoli for a Special Permit under section(s) 6.1.3 and 5 of the zoning by-law to allow expansion of an existing residence and expansion of an existing storage structure.</p> <p>The property, located at 468 Delano Road, is further identified on Assessors' Plan 5 as Lot 26A. Robert D. Wedge, Chairman 10/4, 10/11</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION CONSERVATION COMMISSION LEGAL NOTICE</p> <p>The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, October 24, 2012 at 7:20 PM in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Notice of Intent submitted by JOHN W. and SHELLEY I. KEITH to remove the invasive plant species at 15 Shellheap Road, further identified as Lot 29B on Marion Assessors' Map 17. Plans are available at the Town House for review. Sherman E. Briggs, Jr., Chairman 10/11</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, October 22nd at 6:30 p.m. in the Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by Paul & Jayne St. Pierre, 25 Main Street, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. The proposed project is to install stone steps with associated grading to provide access to the adjacent public bike path. The project is located at 22 Main Street, and is further identified as Lot 30 & 50 on Assessor Map 10.0. Mattapoisett Conservation Commission 10/11</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, October 22, 2012 at 6:30 p.m. in the Town Hall on the Request for a Determination of Applicability submitted by Pat Richardson, 11 Branch Brook Drive, Simsbury, CT 06070.</p>	<p>The proposed project is to extend screen porch 8'. The project is located at 10 Ave A Pease Point, and is further identified as Lot 128 on Assessor Map 2A. 10/11</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION CONSERVATION COMMISSION LEGAL NOTICE</p> <p>The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, October 24, 2012 at 7:50 PM in the Town House conference room on a Request for Determination of Applicability (#41D 1494) submitted by THE KITTANSETT CLUB for the following work at 261 Point Road: construct an irrigation water reservoir, a 28' x 30' pump house building, and discharge of reverse osmosis process water (salt water). The site is further identified as Lot 1 on Marion Assessors' Map 1. Plans are available at the Town House for review. Sherman E. Briggs, Jr., Chairman 10/11</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION CONSERVATION COMMISSION LEGAL NOTICE</p> <p>The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, October 24, 2012 at 7:00 PM in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Notice of Intent submitted by ANNE HATTON to demolish the existing garage at 183 Front Street and construct a new 24' x 30' garage with a 24.46' x 16' deck. The site is further identified as Lot 74 on Marion Assessors' Plan 14. Plans are available at the Town House for review. Sherman E. Briggs, Jr., Chairman 10/11</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM INVITATION TO BID/CEILING REPAIRS</p> <p>The Town of Marion, acting through the Office of the Town Administrator and Chief Procurement Officer, invites bids for ceiling repairs at the Marion Natural History Museum, 8 Spring Street, Marion, MA 02738. Bidders may obtain bid documents as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bidders may obtain Electronic or Paper Bid sets for pick-up, or schedule for delivery from the architect on or after October 1, 2012; Electronic copies of the documents can be e-mailed or CDs mailed. There is no charge and no deposit required for this type of distribution; Full-sized printed sets are available for pick-up or mailing. A \$25.00 refundable deposit is required for printed sets. Deposits will not be refunded if documents are not returned within 15 days of the Bid Opening. A certified check or money order made out to Durland – van Voorhis Architects or cash is required. No company checks will be accepted. For US Postal Service delivery there is a mailing fee of \$10.00, payable to Durland – Van Voorhis Architects <p>The Project architect is Durland – Van Voorhis Architects, 628 Pleasant St., Suite 322, New Bedford, MA 02740</p> <p>Bids shall be received until 1:30 p.m. on October 23, 2012 at the Marion Town House, Two Spring St., Marion, MA 02738 The Town of Marion reserves the right to reject any and all bids; to waive any defects, informalities, and minor irregularities; to accept exceptions to these specifications; to award contracts or to cancel this Invitation to Bid if it is in the Town's best interest to do so Paul F. Dawson, Town Administrator/CPO 10/11</p>	<p>tions; to award contracts or to cancel this Invitation to Bid if it is in the Town's best interest to do so Paul F. Dawson, Town Administrator/CPO 10/11</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION MUSIC HALL INVITATION TO BID/EXTERIOR LIGHTING</p> <p>The Town of Marion, acting through the Office of the Town Administrator and Chief Procurement Officer, invites bids for the installation and upgrading of certain exterior lighting elements at the Marion Music Hall, 164 Front Street, Marion, MA 02738. Bidders may obtain bid documents as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bidders may obtain Electronic or Paper Bid sets for pick-up, or schedule for delivery from the architect on or after October 1, 2012; Electronic copies of the documents can be e-mailed or CDs mailed. There is no charge and no deposit required for this type of distribution; Full-sized printed sets are available for pick-up or mailing. A \$25.00 refundable deposit is required for printed sets. Deposits will not be refunded if documents are not returned within 15 days of the Bid Opening. 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Every year, we put a Christmas tree in the gazebo, purchased with funds provided by the Friends. This year, we'd like to provide the opportunity for patrons to sponsor the tree. Funds for the tree may be donated by a family, a neighborhood, a community group, or may be given in memory of a family member or friend. If you'd like to donate to the purchase of the tree, please speak to the Library Director.

Here is the upcoming schedule for Just the Facts, the nonfiction book discussion group at the Plumb Library:

- October 18 – *Boomerang: Travels in the New Third World* by Michael Lewis
- November 15 – *Destiny of the Republic* by Candice Millard
- December 20 – *Little Princes* by Connor Grennan
- January 17 – *The Memory Palace* by Mira Bartok
- February 21 – *Elizabeth and Hazel: Two Women of Little Rock* by David Margolick

• March 21 – *Fist Stick Knife Gun* by Geoffrey Canada

• April 18 – *The Geeks Shall Inherit the Earth* by Alexandra Robbins

• May 16 – *Lost in Shangri-La* by Mitchell Zuckoff
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Come to the Fairhaven Town Hall at 40 Center Street, Fairhaven, on **Friday, October 19** at 7:00 pm to hear Edward Lodi talk about his latest book, *Women in King Philip's War*.

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It has a flying bridge with controls. I have the metal framework for a cover if desired.
The head was new last year and the propane stove and electric frig were new also.

I was able to find two original cockpit seats with foot rests last year.

There is a large comfortable bed up forward for two and I believe the table makes into a bed as well although we never needed it.

I installed a new anchor last fall which has a great rep for holding and resetting itself with a wind change.

Electronics: boat is wired for 110 volts and has a battery charger if tied up to a slip. Also has an inverter which can run the frig from 12 volt ship batteries. Furuno Radar, Garmin color chart plotter, depth sounder, 2 VHF's, sound system, solar panel to keep batteries charged.

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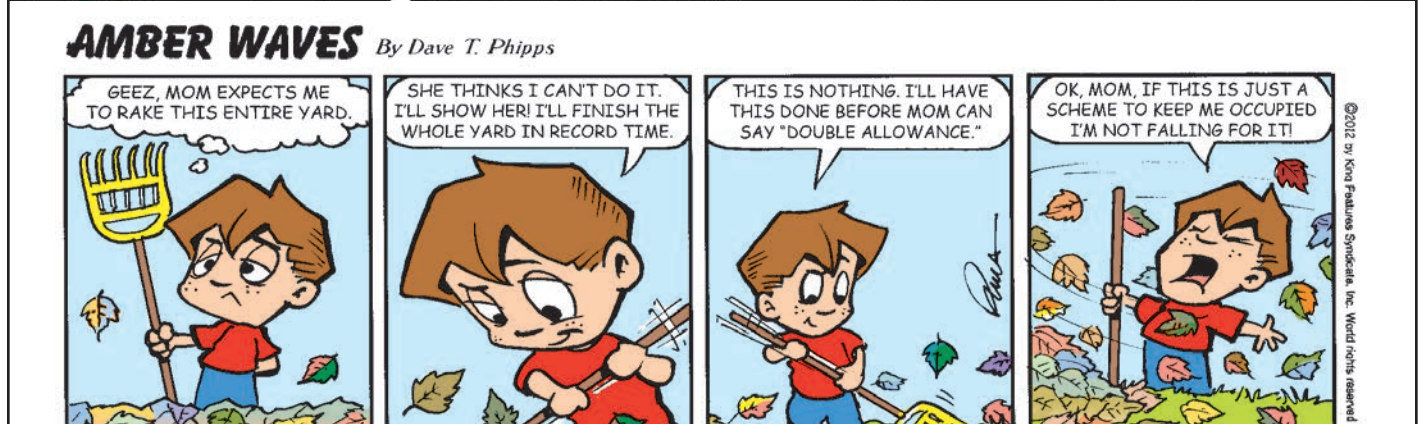
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101 Dalmatians in Marion

Rehearsals are well underway for the Chapel Players of the First Congregational Church of Marion's production of "101 Dalmatians," a fundraiser to be presented on **October 26** at 7:00 pm. and **October 27** at 3:00 pm. in the Community Center, 144 Front Street. Tickets are \$10 for all seats and may be purchased at the Marion General Store or from cast members. This Disney musical includes a large cast of adults and children and is supported by many volunteers in the community. The show is directed by Wendy Bidstrup, assisted by Jamie Wiksten, with musical direction by Sandy Morgan. Bev Peduzzi adds her expertise with music and children, too.

The cast includes Suzie Kokkins as Cruella De Vil with David Pierce and Will Bruno as her bumbling, evil henchmen. Roger and Anita, the "pets" of the Dalmatian family, are played by Mark Tucker and Caroline Blais. Abby Wheeler is Nanny to the family. Parents Pongo and Perdita are played by Hunter Gonsalves and Kelly Fox with puppies Max Tucker, Julia Winters, Lauren Craig, Kelsey Kidney, Kathleen Dunn, Alexia Blais, Elizabeth Foley, Grace Magee and Sam Dunn as Lucky.

The Dog narrators are: Lillian Craig, Caroline Owens, Mason Tucker, Emma Whynacht, Michaela Mattson and Cameron Weaver. The London dogs are played by Kyla Horton, Alexandria Strand, Sara Besancoon, Emma Williamson, Mara Flynn, Erica Judd, Katherine Dwyer, Ella Mennino, Hunter Moreau and Abby Wiksten. Rounding out the cast is Camryn Kidney as Sergeant Tibbs, the cat, Jeff Hallahan as the dog catcher

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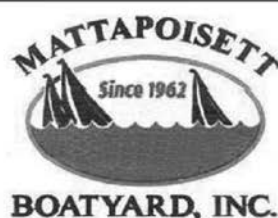
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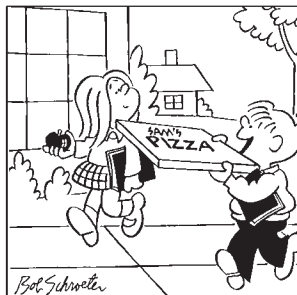
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New members are most welcome to attend. For more information, please contact Myra Hart at 598-758-4703 or Bobbie Ketchel at 508-758-9593.

"The Winds of Climate Change: Are We Sailing off the Chart?"

Marion resident Jennifer A. Francis, PhD, Professor of Atmospheric Sciences at Rutgers University, will speak to us about the realities of climate change, the causes, short-term and long-time effects, and what we can do about it. Her research specifically focuses on the Arctic, which is changing faster than anywhere else on the planet and may be affecting weather patterns across the northern hemisphere.

On September 21, 2012, Dr. Francis's Guest Op-ed piece in Washington Post, "Shrinking Arctic ice and the wicked backlash on our weather," was posted. In this article, she informs us that the National Snow and Ice Data Center announced that the sea ice covering the

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Classified Rates:
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Mailing Classified Ads: Ads can be mailed with payment to P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739

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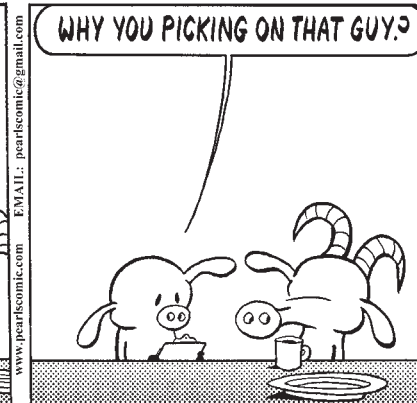
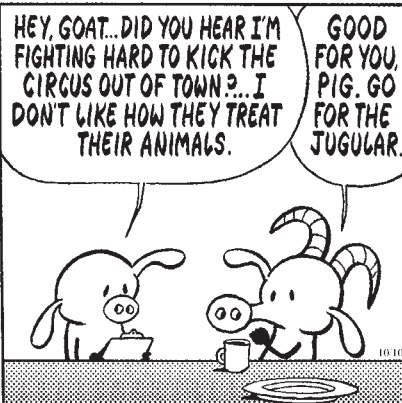
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Payment Policy: All sales final, we do not offer credits or refunds.

Legal Advertisements:

* Legal Ads are \$1.00 per line, at a minimum of \$20. per ad.

PEARLS BEFORE SWINE
by Stephan Pastis



library. After a brief business meeting, guest speaker Anne D. LeClaire will talk about her work.

LeClaire is the author of nine novels, including: *Land's End*, *Entering Normal*, *The Lavender Hour* and *Leaving Eden*. Her work has been published in 17 countries. Her essays have been featured in a number of anthologies, among them *I've Always Meant to Tell You: Letters to Our Mothers*, *An Anthology of Contemporary Women Writers*; *From Daughters and Sons to Fathers: What I've Never Said*; and *A Sense of Place: An Anthology of Cape Women Writers*. LeClaire's first non-fiction book, *Listening Below the Noise*, is a meditation on the practice of silence. In addition to writing novels, memoir, short stories and essays, LeClaire has taught creative writing on the Cape and on Maui, in France, Ireland, Jamaica and in women's prisons.

LeClaire described herself as "the family storyteller, not always meant in the good way. In fact, I love that while I was once punished for making up stories, now I get paid for it." While raising her family, LeClaire worked as a broadcaster, actress, journalist and correspondent, writing for the *New York Times*, *Boston Globe*, *Redbook* and *Yankee*. A resident of Chatham, LeClaire and her husband have two children and 16 chickens.

Come to hear what the Friends have been up to this year, and for an entertaining talk.

From The Mattapoisett Town Clerk's Desk

• **November Presidential Election** – Tuesday, November 6. The polling place is Old Hammondtown School at the end of Shaw Street. Polling hours are 7:00 am to 8:00 pm. Any questions or concerns should be directed to the Town Clerk's office at 508-758-4103, ext. 2.

• **Voter Registration** – Last day to register to vote is Wednesday, October 17. The office will be open from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm for registration.

• **Absentee Ballots Available Soon** – The absentee ballots for the election should be arriving any day. They are for a registered voter who will be unable to vote at the polls on election day due to:

1. Absence from the town during normal polling hours; or
2. Physical disability preventing you from going

to the polling place; or

3. Religious belief.

OR

A non-registered voter who is:

1. A Massachusetts citizen absent from the state; or
2. An active member of the armed forces or merchant marines, their spouse or dependent; or
3. A person confined in a correctional facility or a jail, except if by reason of felony conviction.

You may vote absentee up until 12:00 noon the day before the election Monday November 5.

Museum and Carriage House Fall Festival

Join us at the Mattapoisett Museum on **October 13** at 2:00 pm for family fun at our Fall Festival. Celebrate the season with apples and pumpkins. Help us press apples in an old-fashioned cider press and then sample your work. See and taste applesauce made with old fashioned apple peelers and food mills. Explore the agricultural history of Mattapoisett through a collection of eclectic farm machinery and tools. Pumpkins will be on hand for carving or decorating, and you can make your own corn husk doll. The Festival is free; donations are always welcome. Mattapoisett Museum and Carriage House, 5 Church Street, 508-758-2844, www.mattapoisetthistoricalsociety.org.



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them - simply go to ahelpingpaw.org and click the
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and want to help them reach their goal!

22" PEARSON SAILBOAT
Refurbished, dark blue hull, pretty pocket cruiser
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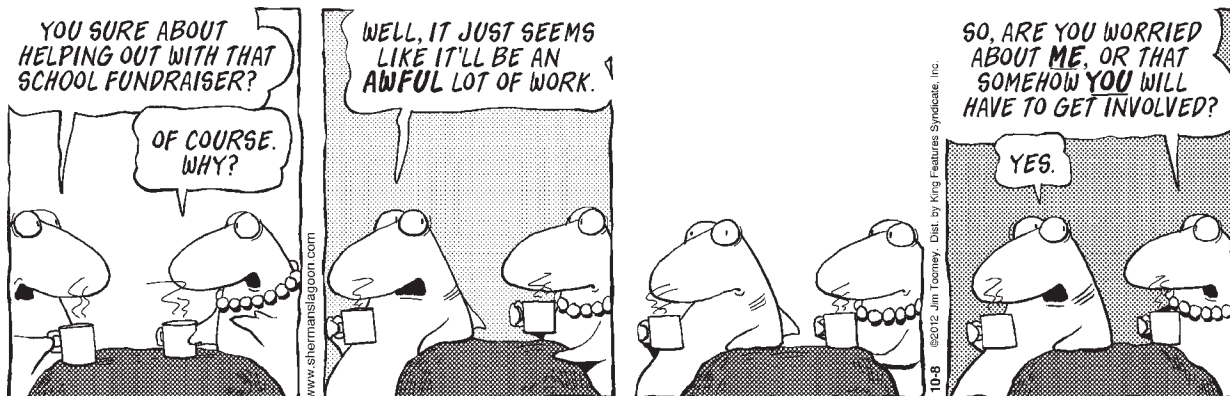
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Rochester Cultural Council Seeks Proposals

The Rochester Cultural Council has set an **October 15** postmark deadline for organizations, schools and individuals to apply for grants that support cultural activities in the community.

According to Cultural Council Chairman Robert Barboza, these grants can be used to support a wide variety of artistic projects and activities in Rochester and neighboring communities, including: art exhibits, festivals, field trips, short-term artist residencies, performances in schools, and workshops and lectures related to the arts, local history and culture.

The Rochester Cultural Council is part of a network of 329 local cultural councils serving all 351 cities and towns in the Commonwealth. The Local Cultural Council Program is the largest grassroots cultural funding network in the nation, supporting thousands of community-based projects in the arts, sciences and humanities every year. The state legislature provides an annual appropriation to the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency, which then allocates funds to each community.

This year, the Rochester Cultural Council will distribute over \$3,800 in grants. Previously funded projects include the Rochester Historical Society's "Life in Rochester" photo contest and exhibit, entertainment at the Rochester COA's annual volunteer appreciation event, the Plumb Library's summer reading program and

the Rochester Memorial School second grade field trip to the Zeiterion Performing Arts Center for an anti-bullying program.

Local council funds have also helped support regional music and arts performances and programs offered by the South Coast Children's Chorus, the Tri-County Music Association, the New Bedford Symphony Orchestra and the Soule Homestead Education Center's annual folk music festival.

For specific guidelines and more information on applying for grant funds from the Rochester Cultural Council, contact Chairman Robert Barboza by calling 508-287-6025 or emailing rbarboza7@hotmail.com. Application forms and more information about the Local Cultural Council Program are available online at www.mass-culture.org/lcc_public.asp.

FORM Present "The Sweet Sounds of Music"

Once again the ORR High School and Junior High School Music Departments are proud to present a casual evening of music and desserts. In the first performance opportunity of the school year, students will share their talents with family and friends in the annual "Suites and Sweets" concert sponsored by FORM (Friends of Old Rochester Music). This free event will take place in the ORR cafeteria on **Thursday, October 18** at 7:00 pm. All are encouraged to attend and enjoy the talents of our young musicians.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

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Vigeant, Robin J	J&P LLC	21 Marina Dr	Mattapoisett	09/21/2012	208000
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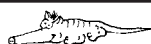


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Local Tides

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October 11:	Thurs.	4:50	5:09	10:45	11:22
October 12:	Fri.	5:44	6:03	11:36	...
October 13:	Sat.	6:33	6:54	12:00	12:25
October 14:	Sun.	7:21	7:42	12:39	1:13
October 15:	Mon.	8:08	8:30	1:20	2:01
October 16:	Tues.	8:56	9:19	2:03	2:50
October 17:	Wed.	9:46	10:10	2:48	3:40
October 18:	Thurs.	10:39	11:05	3:34	4:31
October 19:	Fri.	11:36	...	4:23	5:25
October 20:	Sat.	12:02	12:34	5:15	6:30
October 21:	Sun.	1:02	1:35	6:14	8:12
October 22:	Mon.	2:03	2:37	7:40	9:36
October 23:	Tues.	3:06	3:40	9:56	10:31
October 24:	Wed.	4:09	4:42	11:00	11:11
October 25:	Thurs.	5:09	5:39	11:48	11:40
October 26:	Fri.	6:03	6:29	...	12:25
October 27:	Sat.	6:50	7:14	12:04	12:56
October 28:	Sun.	7:32	7:54	12:32	1:25

Phases of the Moon	New Moon	October 15th
	First Quarter	October 22nd
	Full Moon	October 29th
	Last Quarter	November 7th



I Found the Aardvark!

Each week, hidden somewhere in the pages of *The Wanderer* is a tiny drawing of an aardvark. The little guy you are looking for looks exactly like the one pictured above (but don't put down this page as your answer, there's another one hidden somewhere in this issue).

Once you find the aardvark you can submit your answer online and if you are right you will get Aardvark Points! You can then use these points to get cool Aardvark Prizes! Each time you find the Aardvark you will also be entered in our monthly drawing for other cool Aardvark Prizes. If you would like to enter the monthly drawing by mail, send your name, address and phone number along with the issue date and page number you found him in to: Wanderer - I Found the Aardvark, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. Entries by mail will not be eligible for Aardvark Points.

To enter visit: www.wanderer.com and Click on *I Found the Aardvark*
In the October 4, 2012 issue the Aardvark was on page 4!

PUZZLE ANSWERS

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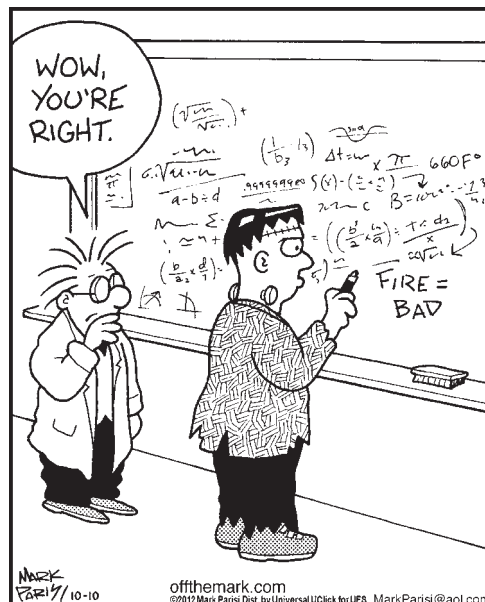
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3. Please; 4. Pamper

Today's Word:

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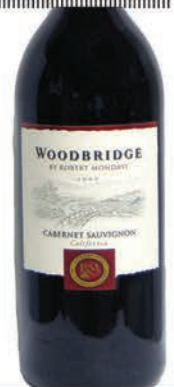
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